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ANDALUSIA.

Mrs. Wright is home again from visiting her daughter.

The rector of Trinity Church, Oxford, was married last Tuesday.

Mrs Murdock is now sick with tonsilitis, as Ethel had. Ethel is now well.

Emmanuel Church, Holmesburg, had a strawberry festival on last Friday.

The Patriotic Order of the Sons of America are expected to be at All Saints Church on Sunday morning, July 3

Mrs. Pickering is again ill and confined to her bed with rheumatism. Mrs Yeagle has also been ailing but is much better.

The only two great European capitals that have never been occupied by a foreign foe are London and St. Petersburg.

The chapel was beautifuly decorated with flowers on Sunday. There are flowers every Sunday but more than usual last Sunday.

'Miss Peale closed on Tuesday and on Wednesday she took the children to the woods and afterwards gave them ice cream and cakes under the apple tree.

When Peter the Great was in England he asked who were all those people in wigs and gowns. "They are lawyers, sir" "Lawyers," says Peter, "Why, I have only two in all my dominions and I intend to hang one of them."

"There are three that bear record in Heaven." This is the famous text which caused Sir Isaac Newton so much trouble, but it is not, we think, so certain a declaration of the divinity of Christ as "Let us make man in our image after our likeness."

There is only one place in the world where the sun sets twice in the same day and that is at Leek, in England. There is a jagged mountain there and the sun sets behind it and it grows dark. An hour later the sun reappears at a gap in the side of the mountain and it is light again until the real sunset.

On account of the weather the lawn party was held in the kindergarten and Sunday school rooms which were made to look beautiful for the occasion. The money collected will be used for the benefit of the chapel. The rooms were full and everything was sold. The sales amounted to nearly one hundred dollars.

When Anna was a little girl she was very fond of ground nuts. A schoolmate sat beside her one day eating them. Anna wanted some very badly but did not like to ask for them, but finally gave a broad hint, saying she liked the shells, so when the little girl had finished the nuts she very generously gave Anna all the shells. Anna is now a woman and lives in Andalusia and has related to us this event in her history.

Some one not a very good speller makes the following contribution to Natural History:

Sur: -My wyf had a tomb cat that dyd. Being a torture shell and a grete faveritt we had him berried in the guardian and for the sake of inrichment of the sile. I had the carkis lade under the roots of a guzberry bush. The frute being up till then of the smooth kind. But the next seesons frute after the cat was berried the guzberries was all hary, and more remarkabul, the catpilers of the same bush was all of the sam hairy discription.

EDDINGTON.

Mrs. Thomas Cateral is on the sick list but is improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Wink were visiting their son on Sunday.

Tuesday, 13th, was the commencement day at the St. Francis School.

Miss May Bartine, of Bristol, was visiting Miss Irene Young on Sunday.

Miss Emma Cook, of Trenton, was visiting Mrs. C. V. Juliff on Sunday.

Rev. Addison A. Lamb had a private baptism in the church on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Amelia Knight has returned home after spending a week's vacation in Byberry.

Mr. and Mrs. William Adams were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rue, above Bristol, on Sunday.

Mrs. H. M. Everitt, of Newportville, was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Davis on Sunday.

Miss Minnie Roberts, of Holmesburg, spent four days with Miss Florence N. Morris last week.

Miss Cornnie Sola, of Philadelphia, was visiting Miss Lina Davis, of this place, on Tuesday.

Clarence Williams, of Philadelphia, was visiting Miss Ida Murray, of Cornwells, on Sunday last.

We are very glad to hear that Mrs George Murry is slowly improving, and the baby is doing very nicely.

Mrs. Samuel Harper, of Philadelphia, was visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Ann Vandegrift, on Wednesday last.

Sunday being Children's Day at the Presbyterian Church, quite a number were present and enjoyed a very good sermon.

Mrs. Anderson Hellyer and Mrs. Maurice Hellyer, both of Bristol, were baptised in the Eddington Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning by the Rev. Samuel Polk.

While Spencer Tomlinson and wife were visiting the latter's parents on Saturday night last their horse broke loose from the hitching post and made a wild dash toward home.

CORNWELLS

Harry Lippincott now has three clerks.

The Hibbs family are moving back to their house on Kings avenue.

Dallas Wagner has a fine garden and land, both of which are well kept.

The Dungan property is now quite showy with its colonial colors resplendent upon it.

James Frazer, the boss road contractor, has been down to attend his mother's funeral who lived in Virginia.

Helen Lancaster, who goes to the Friends' Central School in Philadelphia, is now home enjoying her vacation.

The fine weather Saturday and Sunday brought an unusual crowd of town people up to the country and the trolleys were crowded.

Mr. Hibbs, it was reported, had sold his house to Mr. Twining, of Byberry, but the deal was declared void and so Mr. Twining is out of a house.

The Hulmeville road is so far progressing fine. A steam roller of twenty tons has rolled it down and now it is ready in several places to receive the second coat.

A company of about forty persons surprised Alan Wildman on Saturday evening. The visitors came from New Jersey, Chester county, George School, Friends' Central, and Philadelphia and near-by villages. A house party was also entertained for a large number of the guests were seen on their way to the Delaware river Sunday afternoon. All departed Sunday evening.

A woman 5 feet 2 inches high should weigh [illegible] pounds.

LANGHORNE.

Thomas Gumper is having his place graded.

Gove Mitchell, cashier of the bank, is critically ill.

Mr. Fortner, of Atlantic City, is visiting Charles Lackey.

Miss Elizabeth J. Esherick will spend several weeks this month in Maryland.

Mrs. P. Frank Ridge and Miss Lily H. Ridge are visiting friends in Washington.

About $100 was cleared at the strawberry festival and fair held by Sorosis on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Tomlinson, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Mrs. William Tomlinson.

Sorosis will hold their summer meetings from 10 to 12 on Wednesday mornings at the club house.

Miss Sara Phillips and Miss Anna Phillips attended the game of baseball at Princeton on Saturday.

Miss Mary E. Linton expects to rent her attractive residence on south Bellevue avenue for the summer.

Rev. R. F. Paist, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, who has been abroad for a year, will resume his charge in July.

Harry N. Carter and family, of Philadelphia, former residents here, have rented a cottage at Parkland for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Matthews have issued invitations for a dance on Saturday evening, June 25th, at 8.30 at the Bucks County Country Club.

Miss Arbogast, of near Sunbury, has been appointed teacher of the primary department of the public school in place of Miss Scott who resigned.

All wish success to Edwin Parry in opening the new grocery store in the William B Parry building, corner of Maple and Bellevue avenues.

The Children's Day service at both the Methodist and Presbyterian Churches were well attended. The churches were prettily decorated with flowers and the happy faces of the children made a pleasing picture.

The commencement exercises of the Manor School were held on Tuesday evening, when Elsie Housted and Raymond Bye graduated. The school is ably managed by Miss Arbogast and is one of the models of the county.

The new road, a continuation of Bellevue avenue, will be macadamized, curbed and brick sidewalks laid by the Pennsylvania railroad, work to begin this week. The Buckto road adjoining the railroad will also be done. Mr. Gehder, of Trenton, has the contract.

PENN'S MANOR.

George Nagle is suffering from an attack of rheumatism.

There are some fine fields of potatoes to be seen in this section, as also some very poor ones.

Mr and Mrs. Howard Watson entertained some of their relatives and friends from Dolington on Sunday last.

Mr. Murdock and family, of Woodbourne, drove down last Sunday and enjoyed the beautiful scenery in the Manor.

Farmers in general are complaining of their corn not coming up right; a great deal of replanting is of necessity being done.

Mrs. Spencer Buckman and daughter, Elsie, of California, are making an extended visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. Stinson.

The young potato bugs are making their appearance on usual record time. Hopes were entertained this spring that the beetles had all been winter killed.

Rev. Mr. Scarborough, of Trenton, was very much pleased to see so many people thinking it worth while to come out and listen to the Gospel news. He delivered a thoughtful sermon on last Sunday evening in the chapel to an attentive audience.

The annual Children's Day exercises will be held in the chapel on next Sunday evening, June 19. The Arrangements committee is sparing no effort or labor and a grand success is almost assured. The fine programme is very occasionally gone over in a rehearsal by all who take part. Some excellent outside talent will be procured to heighten the festivities. The chapel will be decorated with flowers and greens in profusion, and a cordial invitation is extended to all to enjoy one of the most pleasant evenings of the year. Doors open at 7 o'clock.

ATTLEBORO.

Mr. Branson is very sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. Alexander Gregg and Mrs. George Cutler spent Wednesday in Philadelphia.

Frank Brelsford and wife were visiting at his father's, John Brelsford's, on Sunday.

Mrs. John Briggs and Mrs. Louis M. Carter and children spent Monday at Willow Grove.

Mrs. John Briggs, of Bristol, has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Louis M. Carter, since Saturday.

George Satterthwaite is building a barn on his premises, corner of Bellevue and De Haven avenues.

Miss Hettie Smith, of Frankford, who has been visiting at her brother's, William Smith's, has returned to her home.

LOWER BENSALEM.

Mr and Mrs. Walls, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. A Simons

Mr and Mrs J Keenan, of Philadelphia, were guests of John E Reynolds Sunday afternoon.

The teachers of the Bensalem schools held their meeting Friday afternoon in the Eddington schoolhouse

The decorations in the Eddington Presbyterian Church Sunday were very pretty. A large congregation assembled Sunday morning to listen to the Children's Day exercises.

The missionary meeting held in the Eddington Presbyterian Church Friday afternoon and evening was well attended. Miss Petrie, of New York, made a fine address on "Mission Work"

EDGELY.

Thomas H. Stackhouse, Major O. Wilford Carter and Edward H. Van Tassell, of Boston, Mass., are the guests of the family of John R. Stackhouse, Sr., at "Woodlands."

John R. Stackhouse, Sr., of Edgely, entertained at dinner on Sunday at "Woodlands," Mr. and Mrs. Irvin C. Wright, of Germantown; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hagner, of Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kain, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. John R. Stackhouse, Jr., of Tullytown; Mr and Mrs. W. K. Stackhouse and children, of Edgely; Anna Headly Stackhouse, of Emilie, Pa.; Miss Lilian R. Stackhouse and Arthur and Tom Stackhouse, Jr., of Yardley.

Rudyard Kipling speaks Hindustani as readily as he does English.

NEWTOWN.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Hutchinson went to Mexico on Tuesday.

J. Paul Wilson entertained friends from George School on Sunday.

Eugene S. Worthington is now assisting at Johnson's Temperance House.

Isaac Paxson, of Schuylkill-Haven, visited relatives in this town on Saturday.

Nathaniel Richardson, of Byberry, spoke at Friends' Meeting on Sunday morning.

Mrs. George A. Jenks is ill in the rooms at the Brick Hotel with rheumatism.

Miss Ellie Armstrong, of Philadelphia, has been spending some time with friends here.

Alexander Lynn is seriously ill at his home on north State sreeet with pneumonia.

William T. Wright has been quite ill for some time with a very severe attack of measles.

Miss Lillian M. Stout has been spending a few days recently visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Allen were tendered a very pleasant surprise one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith entertained about fifty of their friends at dinner on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Daniel Webster and son, of New York, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Sara A. McCowan.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson Hillborn entertained the teachers of the borough school on Friday evening.

Children's Day was observed in this town on Sunday by the Presbyterian and Methodist Churches.

Mrs. William Carey, of New York, will spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Frank J. Linton.

Mrs. Mahlon B. Fretz chaperoned her sister, Miss Fretz, to the Lehigh College commencement this week.

Mrs. Charles J. Stewart, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting at the family of her son-in-law, Dr. J. A. Crewitt.

Mrs. Russell Cooper is very ill at her home on south State street, her illness being the result of cold on measles.

Samuel B. Ogelby, who lately moved here from Edgewood, has taken a position with Charles H. Tranter as butcher.

Mrs. J. A. Crewitt started on Monday to Boston. While there she will also attend the commencement at Wellesley College.

Mr. and Mrs. Stacy B. Brown entertained Mr. and Mrs. William B. Hough, of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. William P. Hicks on Sunday.

John B. Mawson, who recently bought a house and lot on east Centre avenue, of Samuel H. McClanen, is making some lasting improvements on his house.

John Dougherty, of Wood Hill, moved from there to the old Goslin house at the corner of Penn and Court streets on Monday. Mr. Dougherty is a carpenter and will work for David J. McClaren.

Dr. and Mrs. Gillam, of Connecticut, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Watson P. Church on Chancellor street. Mr. and Mrs. Church have issued invitations for a euchre on the 16th in their honor.

William Brooks, of Warren, Ohio, is visiting friends here. This is his first visit since he moved West three years ago. He is now a stock dealer there and will soon have a cow sale here in the East.

Horace Griscom, who has been a valuable boarder at the Friends' Home here some three years past, will soon move to the Friends' new home at Germantown under care of the Philadelphia Yearly Meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson J. Girton started on Monday on an extended trip West. They will visit their son at Omaha, Nebraska, and also Gideon Davis. They may also visit the World's Fair before their return.

Alfred B. Hennessey who for three years past has been assistant at Newtown Station was moved last week to Trevose where he will be ticket agent. Harry Bennett will assist at the station in Mr. Hennessy's place.

The L. T. L. Alumni met at the home of Misses Lavinia and Elisabeth Eyre on Friday evening. A very interesting meeting was held, which was addressed by Mrs. M. E. H. McGary, County Superintendent of L. T. L. work. The superintendents of departments were appointed and the line of work for the summer was mapped out. The following persons were appointed as delegates to attend the State L. T. L. Convention to be held at Swarthmore the last of June: Mary A. Smith, Helen T. Brown, Lavinia B. Eyre, Maud E. Rice, Eva S. Wentworth, Elisabeth K. Eyre and J. Paul Wilson.

FALLSINGTON.

Walter Watson, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with his parents.

Principal Neagley has been re-elected for the Falls High School.

Miss Mabel Sutton, of Spring City, has been visiting friends in town.

The Episcopal Sunday school is now held at 9.30 a. m. instead of 2.30 p. m.

Thomas G. Hawkes, of Philadelphia, was visiting at M. W. Moon's Saturday and Sunday.

Prof. Senseng and wife, of West Chester State Normal School, were in Falls on Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fowler, of Philadelphia, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Longhurst on Sunday.

Saturday, June 11th, being St. Barnabas Day, two services were held in All Saints Church at 7.30 a. m. and 4 p. m.

The intermediate department of the Falls school, of which Miss Edith Satterthwaite is teacher, closed on Wednesday, June 8th.

William E. Watson gave a strawberry party to his friends on Saturday evening. About 48 persons were present. The evening was spent in games and music.

Miss Clara Klockner played an instrumental solo on the piano at the entertainment given in Wildman's Hall at Oxford Valley on Saturday evening, June 11th.

The Fallsington M. E. Sunday school will hold its anniversary day exercises in the church on Sunday, June 19, at 2.30 p. m. A very interesting programme is in store for those who attend. Music will be supplied by Trenton talent; address and singing by Rev. H. E. Wahley, pastor of the Langhorne M. E. Church; address by James H. Younge, of Langhorne. Cornet music will be a feature of the programme. The children of the school have prepared interesting exercises for the occasion and the baptism of two little ones will add to the interest. A cordial invitation is extended to all who can do so to unite in the annual celebration.

Electric wiring and bell work, automatic gas lighting and electrical repairing. Wiring in accordance with the rules of the fire underwriters. F. W. Pope, 510 Wood street. 6-2-4t.

News of the County

News of Nearby Towns From Our Own Correspondents

DOYLESTOWN.

ELOPERS VISIT DOYLESTOWN.

Last Saturday morning a short, slender-built man, aged about 35 years, with sandy hair and moustache, wearing a light suit, drove into Doylestown and put up at the Hotel Pollock. He was accompanied by a rather good-looking young woman. The couple took breakfast at the hotel, and before leaving the man registered as "E. H Buchanan, New Jersey." He did not register the woman's name.

During the morning the man who registered as Buchanan offered to sell his horse, harness and buggy to N. Fretz's Sons, liverymen. He said his name was Buchanan, that he had just been married and had started on his wedding trip and wanted to get rid of the team. The woman was with him at the time, and this circumstance allayed suspicion in the minds of the liverymen, who finally purchased the wagon and harness for $25 cash. Buchanan sold the horse to "Banana Joe," a Philadelphia huckster, who has been selling bananas on the Fountain House corner on Saturday nights for a number of years The price paid was $40 cash.

The couple then boarded the one o'clock trolley car on the Rapid Transit line for Philadelphia. About 5 o'clock a message was received Doylestown, stating that a team had been stolen from Ringoes, N. J. The description of the alleged thief and team tallied exactly with Buchanan and his outfit. Immediately after the receipt of the message Constable Albert R. Atkinson and Daniel H. Fretz, of N. Fretz's Sons, started in pursuit of the alleged thief. They visited Philadelphia, Camden, Gloucester, Paulsboro and other New Jersey towns returning on Sunday without getting any clue of the man or woman.

ELOPED WITH WIFE'S SISTER.

The following special telegram from Flemington, N. J., to the Public Ledger, explains Buchanan's presence in Doylestown:

"Ringoes, six miles distant, is brimful of gossip over the disappearance of Elijah H. Buchanan, a farmer, living near that place, and Miss Ada M. Reep, his wife's pretty nineteen-year-old sister. Miss Reep was employed at the home of John Reading, three blocks from where Buchanan resided.

"Buchanan hitched his horse ostensibly to attend the meeting of the Jr. O. U. A. M. on Friday evening He left Mrs Buchanan at the Reading homestead, where she was to remain until his return from the lodge session. Miss Reep's departure from the Reading home, thirty minutes before her brother-in-law's arrival, attracted no suspicion, as it was supposed she was going to the village postoffice.

"Mrs. Buchanan awaited her husband's return to the Reading home until midnight, long after other persons, supposed to have been in attendance at the lodge, had returned to their homes, when two notes were found in the girl's room. One said 'Good bye' and among other things in the other epistle was 'going to the St. Louis Fair.' Neither of the notes were signed. Buchanan is about 35 years old and was married about seven years ago."

DISPUTED OWNERSHIP.

Fretz's Sons and "Banana Joe" still retain possession of the team. Buchanan's brother came to Doylestown on Monday to recover the property but it was not turned over to him as the purchaser had learned that it had been paid for in a joint note given by Buchanan and his wife, which eliminated the idea that the team had been stolen.

The Doylestown Juniors journeyed to Perkasie last Wednesday and were defeated by a club at that place by the score of 2 to 1 in an eleven inning contest.

Twenty-nine shares of Doylestown National Bank stock were sold at public sale at the Doylestown Trust Company last Wednesday by William C. Rayn, attorney, to Edward R. Kick, Esq , a director of the institution, ranging in price from $77.75 to $79 25 per share.

J. Carroll Molloy, of Pineville, has been elected president of the Alumni Association of the Doylestown High School. The association will hold a reception and dance at Oakland on Monday evening, June 27, in honor of the graduates of this year's class.

Deputy Sheriff Edwin M. Yerkes, of this place, and Miss Sara Emily Hibberd, of Philadelphia, were married at the Church of the Incarnation, Broad and Jefferson streets, Philadelphia, yesterday at high noon. A number of Doylestown people attended the wedding.

Major William P. Taylor, of the Sons of Veteran Reserves, has decided to accept the election of Captain of Company G, N. G. P., of this place, to fill a vacancy. A request has been forwarded to headquarters to fix a date for the election. A lieutenant will also be elected at the same time.

About four hundred people attended the commencement exercises at the National Farm School on Sunday. The exercises were held in the open air and several very interesting and entertaining addresses were delivered. Four young men received diplomas, all of whom have secured very good positions along agricultural lines.

Children's Day celebrations were observed in the Presbyterian, Baptist and Methodist churches on Sunday and excellent programmes of music and recitations were rendered by the little folks, which were much enjoyed by the audiences of the respective churches. At the Methodist Church in the morning nine persons were received into membership.

At a meeting of the County Commissioners on Monday the Board accepted service of notice of a road view in Upper Makefieldd township on June 18. Joseph W. Shelly, Esq , asked the Board to build a bridge in Middletown township. near the Weisbrod & Hess farm. It was decided to view the site for the proposed bridge before taking action in the matter. Bills amounting to $15,019.45 were passed.

One of the local papers published an article last week stating that a child of James Readmond had been kidnapped from the home of Frank Percy, near here, where it had been placed by the Court, after a legal battle for its control by the parents. There was no truth in the story furthermore than the father sent for the child to have it taken to his home in Philadelphia, where it is now residing. A negress took the child from the Percy residence. It is said that the father owed several weeks' board for the child, hence its removal in the strange manner.

Catharine Gallagher had a warrant issued last Wednesday for the arrest of her husband, charging him with surety, and subsequently withdrew the charges upon agreement that her husband would leave the town. One of their sons was scalded last winter in the explosion of the Turkish ship "Medjidzi" and was taken to a Baltimore hospital in a very serious condition. The physicians said that he could not recover, but he did, and is now able to walk about town. His body is completely covered with scars from the burns he sustained and his escape from death is indeed wonderful. He has issued suit against the builders of the ship for damages.

Rev. R. M. Labaree, pastor of the Presbyterian Church of this place, has received his appointment from the Board of Foreign Missions to take charge of the field in Urumia, Persia, where his brother, Rev. Benjamin W. Labaree, and servant, were killed by fanatics last February. Rev. R. M. Labaree has been anxious to share the field with his father, Dr. Benjamin Labaree, who is in charge of the mission in that country, and is over 70 years of age, as he believes that, knowing the people and their language, having been born there, he could do better work than a stranger, besides being on the field as assistant to his father. He leaves a charge of over 700 members and a salary of over $2000 to accept the position in the foreign field at a salary of less than one-third he now receives, because he believes it his duty. His resignation will take effect next month, and he expects to sail for Persia in September.

The Philadelphia and Easton Railway Company is now running its cars from Doylestown to Ottsville, the upper portion of the track from Tohickon Park having been completed Saturday evening. Work on the connecting link between Ottsville and Riegelsville will be pushed vigorously and it is thought the entire line between Doylestown and Easton will be in operation by the latter part of July. There is very little grading to be done on the connecting link.

The longest game of baseball ever played in Doylestown was witnessed on Saturday afternoon when the local team crossed bats with Abington. After struggling for nineteen innings the game had to be called on account of darkness, the score being 4 to 4. Both pitchers struck out 22 men. Abington's runs were made on errors. Neither side scored after the third inning. The game was in progress over three hours.

NEWPORTVILLE.

Give us summer weather and we will be content.

The prevailing cold weather is causing considerable amount of complaint from the farmers in our neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rowe, of Trenton, who formerly resided here, were Sunday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. George Dunlap's.

We very keenly feel the loss of Miss Effie Watson, formerly of Laurel Bend school, who has accepted a position as teacher at the Eddington Grammar School.

Measles are still raging in this neighborhood. Besides the young folks many grown people are troubled with it. Among the afflicted are Mrs. George Sharkey and infant child, of this village.

Ex-County Commissioner Jacob Myers, of Perkasie Borough, a candidate for County Treasurer, visited here last week on a canvasing tour of the lower end. He repots that his efforts have been quite successful and is pretty confident of making a showing.

Joseph Dessilets, the well-known mail messenger of Midway, who carries the mail to and from the trolley cars for the Newportville postoffice, has been confined to his home through illness for the past week but has been relieved by his running mate, Charles Slemmer. From the many inquiries at this village and along the route as to his health, it is evident the faithful old messenger is held in high esteem by his many friends and acquaintances. Joseph has carried the mail faithfully for upwards of three years and is entitled to be called "Old Trusty."

The Bristol township school board held its annual meeting on Saturday last. The newly-elected directors, C H. Mathews and C. T. Knight, for Newportville and Laurel Bend schools, respectively, were duly sworn in, relieving Messrs. Everitt and Slemmer. By a unanimous vote Newportville school as continued was a graded school with two teachers, and much needed repairs were ordered, including the overhauling of the old well, which has not been used for some time, and to replace the water bucket system, which is generally believed to be the cause for much of the sickness among its pupils last term. There is an opening for four new teachers in Bristol township at present.

OXFORD VALLEY.

Benjamin Vansant is quite ill.

A few of the Christian Endeavor members cleaned the chapel last Wednesday.

The Christian Endeavor leader for next Sunday evening will be Mrs. H. Thompson, Jr.

A son came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McNabb on Wednesday of last week.

Miss Pollock, who has been teaching here the past term, returned to her home on Thursday of last week.

Miss Jennie Wildman closed her school at Newportville on Friday of last week and is now at home for the summer.

Don't forget the annual strawberry festival to be held in Wildman's Hall next Saturday evening, June 18. Ice cream, cakes, candies and fruit for sale.

Last week Walter Bates and family moved from Philadelphia to the house lately occupied by Isaac Milnor. They expect to stay in the village through the summer.

Last Saturday evening an entertainment was given in Wildman's Hall under the management of Mrs. C. Y. Stradling for the benefit of the Christian Endeavor Society. The programme was composed of home talent with the exception of Miss Clara Klockner, of Fallsington, who rendered several selections on the piano in a pleasing manner.

The Edge Hill school closed last Friday. In the afternoon the pupils entertained their friends with a "Mother Goose party." Mr Quarrier added to the pleasure of the afternoon by a number of selections by his phonorgaph. Ice cream and cake were served. Miss Rice, who has taught the school very acceptably for several years, does not expect to return, we are sorry to note. Her place will be hard to fill,

PENN VALLEY.

Charles Patterson and Edmund H. Lovett were guests of William J. Duncan, of New York, on Monday and Tuesday.

Earl, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Nolan, died on Saturday. The funeral was on Monday, with interment at St. John's Cemetery, Trenton.

Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bevan, John and Russell Bevan, of Cornwells, and John Bevan, of Tacony, at William Bevan's; Mrs. Tacy Morgan, of Stockton, at John Ryan's.

Order Flowers Direct.

Cut flowers and plants sold direct from DeWitt's extensive green houses, on Pond street. We have no other place in Bristol. Vegetable plants—fine transplanted tomatoes, peppers and egg plants. Orders delivered in all parts of the town free. Standard telephone connection.

HULMEVILLE.

Thomas F. Cooper, of Lancaster, was a business visitor in town on Saturday.

Mrs. Harry P. Gill and children spent last Thursday in Philadelphia.

George Hague, of Frankford, spent a few days with Harry H. Magill and family.

Mrs. John Stuard, of Philadelphia, was visiting relatives in town on Sunday.

Mrs. Lillie Joyce, of Attleboro, spent Sunday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Gill.

Mrs. Edward Vanartsdalen and son spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Reetz.

Mrs. William Severns and children, of Trenton, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Rachel Noon.

Forrest MacCorkle, of Burlington, N. J., was visiting relatives in town on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Franz, of Philadelphia, was the guest of Mrs Earnestine Hack from Friday until Monday.

Clarence Doran, of Philadelphia, has been spending several days with Edward McElwee and family.

Mrs. Phoebe Vansant, of Bristol, is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bertice Douglass.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Schaeffer, of Langhorne, were visiting John G. Laros and family on Sunday.

Mrs. Witham, a former resident of Hulmeville, now of Trenton, was a visitor in town on Monday.

Quite a number of our people attended Pawnee Bill's wild west show in Bristol last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Charles Yeuger, of Philadelphia, has been spending a few days with Samuel J. Illick and family.

Mrs. Margaret Gilmore, of Frankford, was the guest of Thomas Goheen and family on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Vansant, as is their custom, entertained all their children and grandchildren on Children's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allen, of Trenton, were visiting Cyrus Smith and family on Sunday.

George Douglass, Sr., and daughter, Elizabeth, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Baldwin in Frankford on Sunday.

Mrs. Amos Tomlinson, of Pineville, spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week with Prof. and Mrs. E. W. Martindell.

Mrs. George LeCompte and children, of Attleboro, spent Wednesday of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Douglass.

'Squire and Mrs. Joseph Keen spent Sunday with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ridge, at Bridgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kurtz and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Franz, of Philadelphia, were Sunday visitors at the home of Harry P. Gill.

Princess Winona, champion woman rifle shot of the world, now with Pawnee Bill's wild west show, took supper with Miss Rae Webster on Thursday evening last.

George Ridge who has been employed at the Keystone watch works for the past few years, will open a jewelry store in the Parry building in Langhorne on July 1st.

On Monday afternoon Alexander Crosson had the misfortune to cut the first and second fingers of his left hand quite severely with his circular saw. Dr. R. R. Paxson dressed the wounds.

Mrs. Simons and three children, of Philadelphia, are spending the summer at the home of James Praul, and on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Camby Milnor, of Fallsington, were guests at the same place.

Very interesting Children's Day services were held at Neshaminy M. E. Church on Sunday evening. The church was decorated with palms and flowers and there was a large congregation present.

The Middletown School Board held their annual meeting on Saturday at the home of James P. Hellings, Middletown Cross-road. The old officers were all re-elected and all the teachers with the exception of three in the district, who did not apply for their schools again. The directors deemed it necessary to raise the school tax a quarter of a mill. During the day they had their annual dinner at the home of Mr. Hellings.

Prof. Louis A. Ridge entertained a number of his friends from Philadelphia at dinner on Saturday at his summer home on Neshaminy street. Those present were: George H. Cliff, former Principal of Philadelphia Normal School; Dr. Andrew J. Morrison, Principal of North east Manual Training School; William L. Sayre, Principal of Central Manual Training School; Dr. Benjamin W. Mitchell, Professor of Languages in Boys' Central High School; Dr. Sydney T. Skidmore, Professor of Physics in Philadelphia Normal School; Edward Gideon, Superintending Principal George G. Meade School; George H. Stout, Superintending Principal Newton School; David H. Stout, Superintending Principal Cambria School; David R Baer, Superintending Principal Moffet School; Alfred V. Sayre, Superintending Principal Horace Binney School; Oliver P. Ely, Superintending Principal Forest School; D. W. Hutchinson, Superintending Principal North Liberties School; George M. Sayre; George D. Gideon; J. Monroe Willard, Principal of Philadelphia Normal School; Charles S. Boyer, Superintending Principal William D. Kelly School.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving remembrance of our dear father, Samuel Cox, who passed from this life June 16th, 1903. A year has passed still he is missed, oh, so sadly missed by WIFE AND CHILDREN.

EMILIE.

Miss Boileau is visiting Mrs. Isaac Lyson.

Miss Barnard is visiting Miss Mary Myers.

Tyron Black was visiting Frank Black Sunday.

Charles Walton and family were Sunday visitors at Joseph Lovett's.

Miss Flossie Hillborn is visiting her grandparents near Edgewood.

Mrs. Aaron Stackhouse, who has been quite sick, is greatly improved.

Mrs. Sallie Barton is spending the week with Mrs. Samuel Vandergift.

Strawberries are now at their heighth and raisers are very busy marketing the fruit.

There was a large attendance at the M. E. Church on Sunday for the Children's Day exercises. The programme was well rendered and the address by the pastor was especially interesting.

Now For Winter Coal.

Having gotten in my yard several boat loads of Old Company's Lehigh Coal, I am now prepared to fill winter orders with the best of coal. Prices will remain the same through the month of June, giving my customers ample time to fill their bins before I shall advance it.

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MORRISVILLE.

William Curtis and family, of Trenton, have taken up their residence here.

The United Ice Company has a force of men at work tearing down their old building on Mill street.

The Alumni Association of the William E. Case school, will hold their annual banquet in Mershon's Hall Thursday evening, June 23.

The crack Olney team will be the visiting attraction at Morrisville ball park Saturday afternoon, when they line up against the home team.

It is reported that Robert Morris Circle, Brotherhood of the Union, will shortly disband and the members who are in good standing will be transferred to a Trenton Circle.

William, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lukens, of Moreau street, died early Tuesday morning. The child caught cold on measles, which developed into pneumonia.

The Water committee of Council have ordered a new and larger pump for the pumphouse, as the old one is inadequate and almost worn out. The new pump will cost about $2500 and is being made by the Blake Manufacturing Company, of New York. It is expected to be here and ready for operation in about five weeks.

At Fallsington Saturday the Eclipse team, of Morrisville, added another victory to its string of ten out of eleven games by defeating the Fallsington A. A. by the score of 5 to 2. The hitting of Wright and H. Roth and the fielding of Gants were the features of the contest. This Saturday the Eclipse team is scheduled to meet the Bullocks on Yetmans' field, Trenton.

The re-organized Morrisville baseball team filled an engagement at home Saturday against the Philadelphia Professionals. Taking advantage of McCusker's wildness in the first inning they gathered together four runs, just enough to win the game. After the first inning the game was one of the snappiest seen on the home grounds. Both Cauldwell and McCusker were effective. The Quakers found Cauldwell's shoots more frequently than Morrisville did McCusker's but the former University of Pennsylvania star was invincible when the bases were occupied. Riley, Lukens and Garman appeared with the home team for the first time. Garman had been previously acting in the capacity of tenth man for the home team. All three showed up well, especially Riley, who contributed some pretty fielding. The score:

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Morrisville,	4 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 x—5	5	3	0
Phila. Prof.,	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1	1	7	7

Two-base hits—Dickle, Leibfried, Wirth, Lukens. Double play: Leibfried to Boyd to Dickle; Reynolds to Justice to Riley. Bases on balls—McCusker 4. Hit by pitched ball—Garman, Boyd, Stricker. Struck out—By McCusker 4; Cauldwell 10. Umpire—McGurk.

TULLYTOWN.

Miss Viola Bateman, of Holmesburg, is visiting at Mrs. Cox's.

A. B. Shoemaker and family spent Sunday with relatives at Horsham.

Emma Bilbee, of Trenton, spent a few days this week at A. Carnahan's.

Mrs. W. Clemence, of Eddington, spent Saturday and Sunday at E. E. Johnson's.

James Lovett has gone to housekeeping on Cheston avenue in the Allen Cole property.

Mrs. Rebecca Albertson was calling on relatives and friends in Tullytown this week.

Dame Rumor says the wedding bells will ring again before the month of June ends.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ellis, of Holland, Pa., were visiting at Abner Cox's on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Jacob R. Davis is spending a couple of weeks at Belmar, N. J. enjoying the sea breezes.

Miss Carrie Carlen is confined to her bed the result of a fall on Sunday last, striking her side on the corner of a step.

Although we are now at the middle of June it is no uncommon sight to see men in overcoats and occasionally you see a man with a fur cap on.

The Methodists of Tullytown will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival in the Red Men's Hall on Friday evening, June 17. All are invited to attend and help things along.

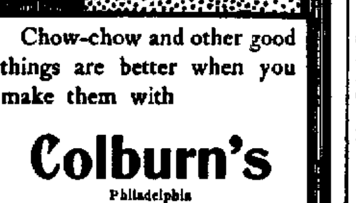
Mrs. Emma T. Headley started on Tuesday for a two weeks' trip to Wernersville, Pa. Mrs W. H. Skirm and children, of Germantown, are at the home of her mother, Mrs. Headley, during the latters absence.

On Wednesday, June 15, at their newly-furnished home on Fallsington avenue, Frank Doan and Miss Lizzie Kisley were united in marriage by the Rev. W. J. Wright. The Gazette extends its best wishes for their prosperity and happiness.

The School Board organized for the ensuing year on Monday night with A. B. Shoemaker, president; W. H. Wildman, secretary; W. H. Dunk, treasurer. The tax rate was fixed at 3½ mills and the salaries of the teachers were raised to $45 per month. W. W. Beer of Perkasie was elected as teacher of Grammar school. The position of primary teacher is still vacant.

Thrown From a Wagon.

Mr. George K. Babcock was thrown from his wagon and severely bruised. He applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm freely and says it is the best liniment he ever used. Mr. Babcock is a well known citizen of North Plain, Conn There is nothing equal to Pain Balm for sprains and bruises. It will effect a cure in one-third the time required by any treatment. For sale by Enlen Martin, Bristol, whole sale agent for Bucks county.



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YARDLEY.

Mrs. Isaac South is reported very low at this time.

Miss Graham, of New York City, is the guest of Thomas Scott.

Walter N. Eastburn, of New York City, spent Sunday at the home of his father, Robert Eastburn.

The road leading to the bleachery, which was badly washed by recent heavy rains, has been repaired.

Miss Lizzie Miller, who is a teacher in the public schools of Holland, is the guest of her father, Charles Miller.

Mr and Mrs. Leon D. Lovett have returned from a trip to Norristown, where they were entertained by friends.

Mrs. Charles M. Eames has gone to her home in Shippensburg, Pa., where she will be the guest of her parents for a few weeks.

On Wednesday evening the lads of Yardley serenaded Mr. and Mrs. Mark P. Eisenbrey, who were married on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Warner and son, Seymour, of Philadelphia, were entertained at the home of Mrs. Letitia W. Twining this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Knowles and Miss Laura Swartzlander were present at the funeral of Mrs. Willitts, of Haddonfield, N. J., on Saturday afternoon.

The farmers in this locality report that the strawberry crop is not nearly as good this year as last. In some instances the supply is only large enough to supply their own families.

Miss Gertrude Pursell has been elected assistant principal of the public schools of Garfield, N. J. Miss Pursell went as teacher about two years ago, and her ability in her chosen profession was of such a character that she now holds a responsible position with a good compensation.

Charles Subers and Phineas Starkey, of near Yardley, recently went to West Chester to visit their sisters, who are students at the State Normal School. They went to Philadelhia by train and from there to West Chester by trolley. Arilla Starkey and Edna Subers will be in the senior class next year.

The little girl of Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, who were recent residents of Yardley, but who now live in Trenton, fell from a hay loft at the home of her aunt at Bound Brook. The little one was severely injured about the head and neck, but no bones were broken. The physician does not pronounce her case serious one.

Levi P. Hannum, of Trenton, who has a beautiful summer home along the Delaware just below Yardley known as "The Birches," recently entertained a number of his Yardley friends at dinner. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence B. Slack, Mrs. Bessie Copperthwaite, Mrs. Marion Livezey, William G. Baldi and Philip Slack.

A warrant was secured by Mrs. Mattie Whist from 'Squire Eastburn on Saturday night for the arrest of Harry Williams for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. The boy was arrested and fined $2.50 and costs. At this writing he had not secured the money Constable Tomlinson was given the case as John Martin had other trouble to attend to.

On Saturday night the disorder at the corner in the vicinity of the hotel was of such an extent that residents living in the vicinity were unable to sleep because of the noise which all sorts of drunks were making. A fight was on until the small hours of the morning. The disturbance was created mainly by colored people. The borough officers should take this matter in hand and see that it is speedily remedied.

The Walton family, of Trenton, who occupy the June Rogers farm, near Roelofs, during the summer months, leaving the place furnished through the winter, recently went to the old farm house to get it ready for occupancy this summer, found that during the winter some one had hauled all their furniture away. There is no evidence as to the identity of the thieves, and they have not as yet been able to locate the furniture.

On Saturday evening Constable Martin arrested Quincy G. Palmiter for desertion from the government forts at League Island. Constable Martin telephoned to League Island that he had the man, and was told to put him in the lock-up over Sunday and bring him to Philadelphia on Monday. The man acknowledged that he had ran away, and intimated that he had no objection to being taken back as he was entirely out of money and foot-sore from walking.

Mahlon B. Knowles entertained the class of 1904 of the George School at his home on Monday afternoon. About twenty were present to partake of his hospitality. The afternoon was whiled away playing games, rowing and many other recreations. A good supper was served, to which the young folks did justice. Circumstances would not permit Mahlon to be a member of this graduating class, as he unfortunately fell ill the latter part of the second quarter and was unable to proceed with his studies. He will complete the course at the school next year.

At the instigation of Jesse E. Harper, Chief Burgess, an order has been issued by Mr. Barry, manager of the Newtown, Yardley and Morrisville Trolley Company which will regulate the speed of cars going through the borough. They will proceed at half speed when in the town. At the sharp turn in front of the Yardley Review office they will come to a halt in both directions. This is to overcome the great risk drivers take in passing through this narrow place. If a motorman disobeys the order he is to be suspended for ten days for the first offence, and for the second offence he will be discharged altogether from the road.

On Sunday morning quite a disturbance was caused in the even calm of Yardley by the discovery of a woman lying along the road in the vicinity of A. S. Cadwallader's to all appearances dead. In a few moments quite a crowd had gathered to mourn over her, and to give all sorts of professional opinions as to the cause of her demise. Their conjunctions were brought to a sudden end by the appearance of Constable Martin who pronounced the woman dead—drunk. A wagon was secured and she was hauled off to the lock-up to enjoy herself to her hearts' content. She was not aware that she was the guest of the town until she came from the arms of Morpheus. She soon recovered enough to return to work at one of the homes in Yardley where she is employed. A large flask fell from her clothing as she was being put into the wagon. It is not known who got this prize, as it was well filled.

ROELOFS.

Miss Florence Stradling, of Fallsington, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Rebecca Hicks, of Frankford, Philadelphia, is the guest of Russel Lewis.

Miss Lillian Sutton, of Newtown, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. G. Decoursey, last week.

Mrs. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. George Dapper, of Trenton, were the guests of Mrs. V. B. McCilister, on Sunday.

There are more blind people among the Spanish than among any other European race.

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THE GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENT.

The appointment by Governor Pennypacker of Attorney General P. C. Knox as United States Senator from Pennsylvania to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Quay, until the next session of the Legislature, was a selection that meets with the highest approval. With President Roosevelt's cabinet member as United States Senator, Pennsylvania will rank with the States that have sent their brainiest men to Congress, and he will be a compeer with Allison, Spooner, Hale, Hoar and Foraker.

Some Democratic newspapers and other irascible journals, which would howl under any circumstances, have attempted to manufacture political capital by attributing ulterior motives in the appointment of Mr. Knox. Every condemnation of the Governor's selection is the finest compliment to the appointee. Mr. Knox needs no apologist, his reputation is national in its scope and Pennsylvania is to be congratulated that it will have a statesman of the most brilliant order in Congress.

Governor Pennypacker and Senator Penrose are to be congratulated for their action in passing over more politicians and money bags when in consultation as to Senator Quay's successor.

All cause for factional strife in the Republican party in the State is ended.

The Democratic lines are being sharply drawn within the party—those who are afraid Bryan will bolt and those who are afraid he won't.

The hen with a snake's head which is reported to have been found in a Maine town, must have came across the border, since everybody knows that Maine is strictly prohibition.

It is presumed that Colonel Watterson is again getting ready, whoever may be the candidate, to hold his nose, shut his eyes, and vote—like the small boy swallowing his first oyster.

It is stated that the administration officials are much pained over the recent announcement that the Nebraska Democrats do not cordially approve of President Roosevelt and his acts.

For just three days the snowy dove of peace hovered and cooed over the Isle of Santo Domingo. Then the wires burned and crackled with the report of a new revolution, started—by Jiminez.

The Scientific American prints a striking illustrated article, in a recent number, showing one of the great government irrigation works which are to create thousands of prosperous farms out of desert wastes.

The New York Telegram propounds the query "Does Meat Spoil the Disposition?" Most certainly it does. It is a well-known fact that the beef trust is directly responsible for at least two-thirds of the swearing which occurs in all well regulated households.

The Russian dispatches go into quite minute detail over the unimportant skirmishes wherein the Russians "retired in good order" before superior forces or where Russia "sustained no losses," while the announcement of Japanese victories is left to other sources.

The movement has started early to secure a "safe and sane" Fourth of July celebration. Highly commendable, surely, but it is presumed there will be about the same number of fingers shot off and eyes blown out that usually attends the patriotic demonstrations of the small boy.

The new Republican campaign book will contain some cold facts and figures regarding the country's past and present prosperity and industrial productiveness during the preceding eight years of Republican regime which it will be extemely difficult for Democratic speakers to consider in their prospective bursts of impassioned oratory.

Judging from the low tariff oratory found in some of the Democratic speeches in the Congressional Record it will be the thing this campaign for all good Democrats to get down their "Free Trade" and "Tariff for revenue only" speeches of 1893-6, dust them off carefully and fire them broadside at the terrified Republicans. The free silver speeches will be left on the top shelves to moulder yet a while longer.

Spain's formal announcement that she will not interfere with our naval demonstrations and possible performances in Morocco have been received by the country with a vast breath of relief. While we are at peace with all the nations of the world, including Spain, the people have vivid recollections of the way in which our vessels were sunk by the Spanish and our army wiped off the face of the United States by the ferocious but truthful Weyler and other great Spanish commanders.

That was a great meeting of old "hayseeds" the other day when Attorney-General Knox, announced to succeed former Senator Quay, went over from his farm at Valley Forge to the farm of President Cassatt of the Pennsylvania railroad. They were joined at dinner at the "Farmers Club" by Senator Penrose, Mr. Frick of the United States Steel Corporation, Governor Pennypacker, former United States Senator Cameron, Richard S. Quay, son of the late Senator, and several of the same class of "farmers."

Judge Parker has up to the present time 178 instructed votes out of 685. It is thus perfectly clear that the loquacious Judge, as soon as he can secure a few hundred more votes will be in a commanding position so far as the Democratic nomination is concerned. Indeed it may be conceded that if the Judge can secure say a couple of hundred votes, having already 178, Mr. Hill will be in a position to claim a majority for his New York sphinx. Of course in the meantime Judge Parker might change the condition of the face of the moon at any time by saying something, but this is not an anticipated entanglement.

Several of the great dailies are gravely discussing the "Democratic situation," probably for the sake of either filling space or diverting their readers with some thing humorous, since up to the present time it cannot really be said that there is such a thing as a Democratic situation. Something may "turn up," of course, which will warm the cockles of the great throbbing Democratic heart—there is always a chance of something turning up—but the present situation of the so-called Democratic party is about as devoid of any tangible combination which could by any stretch of the imagination be construed into turning inevitable defeat into victory, as it has ever been the privilege of any generation to witness.

"Usurpation" in Pennsylvania.

New York Tribune.

Some Democratic newspapers in Pennsylvania seem greatly exercised over the fact that Governor Pennypacker in giving Attorney General Philander C Knox a recess appointment to the United States Senate elected to disregard a certain section of the constitution of Pennsylvania which requires the summoning of the legislature in extra session to fill recess vacancies. The Governor has issued to Mr Knox credentials good until the next regular session of the legislature, in January, 1905, and decided not to call an extra session. This, say his contentious and hairsplitting Democratic critics, "is not constitutional government" It is "revolutionary"; or, to borrow a word frequent nowadays in Democratic platforms, it is "usurpation"

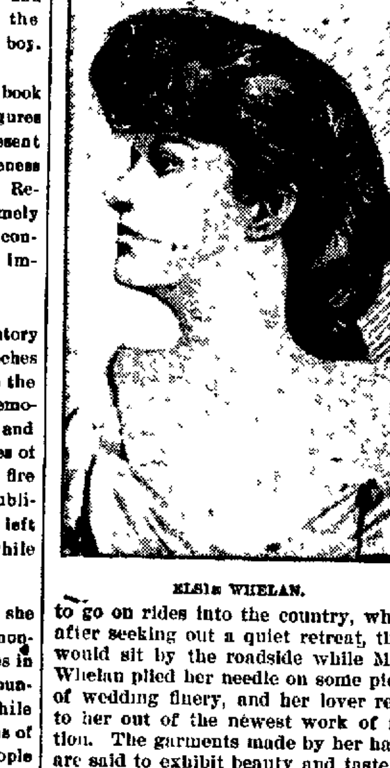
It seems unkind to make a suggestion which may puncture this bubble of "constitutional" protest. But it seems only fair to ask these outraged friends of constitutional liberty what authority was ever given to the State of Pennsylvania to regulate the process of choosing United States Senators That is a process minutely defined and described in the federal Constitution and the federal statutes, and State enactments at variance with the federal practice can have no binding effect on a State Governor or a State Legislature when the one is called on to appoint or the other to elect a Senator. The constitution of Pennsylvania does prescribe that the the legislature shall be called in special session to fill recess vacancies. But federal law gives the Governor unqualified power to fill a vacancy actually occurring while the State Legislature is in recess, and in no way binds him to call that body together before the day for its next regular meeting If the Governor follows the federal law his action is valid all State regulations to the contrary notwithstanding. Whether he obeys the State law or not is a matter of no consequence to the federal Senate, which is the sole judge of the election and qualification of its members The State law is superfluous It is a dead letter and unenforceable in any court, because a patent infringement on the rights vested in the State Executive by and under the federal Constitution

Not many years ago Maryland had on its statute books a law requiring the legislature to choose one of the two United States Senators from the counties on the Eastern Shore. In 1895 the legislature, in defiance of this statute, elected a Western Shore Senator, giving both Senatorships to the Western Shore counties Was any protest made against this "usurpation"? No; the people of Maryland recognized the futility of trying to annul or amplify the federal laws governing the choice of United States Senators, and the legislature promptly repealed the Eastern Shore statute The legislature of Pennsylvania should take profit from this example and rescind a provision in its constitution now shown to be equally gratuitous and equally impotent.

MARRIAGE OF MILLIONS.

The Goelet-Whelan Match—A Very Practical Young Heiress.

The Goelet-Whelan wedding, a marriage of millions, is the matrimonial event of the month in society, for both Robert Goelet of New York and Elsie Whelan of Philadelphia belong to the social elect of New York, Newport, London and Paris The good sense possessed by the bride may be judged from the fact that, though she is an heiress in her own right and as Mrs. Goelet will enjoy a small fortune a week as spending money, she made most of the garments of her trousseau herself. She likes sewing and is quite expert with her needle. Automobiling is a favorite pastime with Mr. Goelet. Last summer he and his fiancee used



ELSIE WHELAN.

to go on rides into the country, when, after seeking out a quiet retreat, they would sit by the roadside while Miss Whelan plied her needle on some piece of wedding finery, and her lover read to her out of the newest work of fiction. The garments made by her hand are said to exhibit beauty and taste in a degree not often equaled by the productions of fashionable dressmakers.

Mr. Goelet's choice was regarded as the belle of Newport for the past two seasons. She comes of a Philadelphia family that has long enjoyed social prominence in the Quaker City, her father being Henry Whelan, a multimillionaire. Mr. Goelet is the son of the late Ogden Goelet and is noted as a yachtsman and as a follower of the hounds. He is a lawyer. His sister, who was Miss May Goelet, married the Duke of Roxburghe. The wedding of Miss Whelan to Mr. Goelet allies two noted families of large fortune.

I consider time as a treasure, decreasing every night, and that which every day diminishes soon perishes forever.—Sir William Jones.

There is certainly a pathos in the thought that there were more than fifty thousand more soldiers' graves decorated this year than there were a year ago. The fact is almost startling, as it shows how rapidly the men who were defenders of the Union in the sixties are passing away. Fifty thousand is a big number—fifty full regiments—more men than were engaged in some of the great battles of the war. The day is not far distant when the last of them will be placed under the sod. Memorial day is a fixed institution, and when the comrades who now observe that beautiful custom are gone, the sons and the daughters will still perpetuate it. Coupled with this show of regard for the dead should also be evidence of tender feeling for the living. It is a mistake to bestow all the appreciative things upon those who are past receiving them.

THE CAUSE OF WOMAN.

MUNICIPAL WORK FOR WOMEN.

"The Making of a City" was the subject of a recent lecture by Prof. Charles Genblin of the University of Chicago. It is a lecture replete with valuable suggestions for civic clubs. The Professor says:—"The housewives of the city know a great deal more about cleaning and keeping clean, than the busy hard-headed business men who are supposed to look after the streets. The term municipal housekeeping is not a misnomer. Therefore the task of cleaning the streets, and keeping them clean, should be turned over to the housewives, who are experienced, instead of being left to be mismanaged by business men." This is practical advice. It is absurd to entrust the housekeeping of a city to men who could not run their individual homes without the assistance of women. City mothers would never endure the blundering results frequently perpetuated by city fathers. In one district of Philadelphia the streets are swept one day, and followed the next day by the collection of ashes and garbage. The flying papers and dirt attendant on this collection remains on the streets until the next weekly sweeping.. What competent councilwoman would tolerate such reversed housekeeping, city or domestic?

Taxpaying women everywhere should insist in the ballot as the means of protection to the home. Until women can elect candidates to fill municipal positions it is a vain struggle for thorough and efficient municipal housekeeping. The ballot places our city rules in power, and constituents are rewarded with opportunities and positions. As women cannot vote, and are not constituents, how can they obtain the opportunity to serve the housekeeping of the city?—Ida Porter Boyer.

ARGUMENT FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

The only plausible argument I have ever heard against the extension of the suffrage to women is that it would increase the ignorant vote, as well as add to the intelligent vote. Yet the best way to eliminate ignorance in politics is to bestow political responsibility. Many women who today take little interest in municipal or national government would at once interest themselves in public affairs and would give more time to the study of important questions which concern the welfare of the community and fewer hours to gossip, frills and bridge whist.

Besides, the ignorant vote is not such a menace to good government in our country as is the rich, corrupt vote. Many intelligent voters block all measures for reform and give large sums of money for bribery and corruption because of selfish, sordid personal interests.

Many of our so-called ignorant women are sufficiently intelligent to vote for their own interests, and the interests of the mother of a family are not always identical with the interests of the father.

For instance, many poor, ignorant women would be glad to help abolish the large number of saloons where such a large percentage of their husbands' and sons' wages go.

Former Governor Adams of Colorado, who recently travelled to Washington in order to give his valuable testimony in behalf of woman suffrage said in the address he gave at the National Suffrage Convention that during the ten years in which women had exercised the privilege of the ballot in his State their vote had been overwhelmingly on the side of good government. The woman's vote is known to be a conscientious vote. The depraved women, he said, took no interest in the elections and had to be driven to the polls by the police.—Maude Nathan, President Consumers' League.

DISFRANCHISEMENT IMPLIES INFERIORTY.

Restriction of suffrage implies inferiority on the part of the class denied the right. All professed reasons against suffrage are merely allegations of inferiority whatever the pretense may be. I do not believe all women hopelessly inferior to all men. I believe in woman suffrage. The right of an intelligent and self-respecting woman to vote should not depend upon the lack of intelligence and self respect of the woman who is contented with the legal status which is a constant insult and which brings in its train a long series of handicaps. Taken mentally, morally or industrially, a disfranchised woman is not a fit mother of a voter, for she cannot wisely teach that of which she knows nothing.—Edward H. Winston.

WHAT THE SUFFRAGISTS HAVE OVERCOME.

Susan B. Anthony in considering the most notable advance made by women of America up to the present time in the Chicago Record-Herald says:

"Nothing more strikingly illustrates the advance of women than their increased activity and interest in the vital affairs of the world—matters which were formerly reserved solely for the consideration of men. The great organizations of women are becoming a power in the land and they are helping to solve the problems of city, state and nation, and when we remember that illiteracy is now much less among women than among men it is not difficult to believe that women will continue to exert a greater influence in the affairs of the world.

"The fight for woman's suffrage will never die out. It will continue to gather in strength. True, the movement has had some set backs, but in every state where the constitutional amendment for enfranchisement of the sex has been submitted twice there has been a largely increased vote in favor of it the second time.

"Never was there a reform which had so much work done on its side, and which won for itself the support of so many brainy men and women, as has the woman suffrage movement, and never was there a movement which encountered such bitter and stubborn opposition, such narrow selfishness, such ignorant prejudice.

"When we remember that women, with no political influence, practically no money, no party machinery, no platform except that granted through courtesy, and working as an entirely independent movement, has been compelled to fight tradition, creed, selfishness and a mass of ignorance and prejudice, we can certainly find comfort in the gains that have been made it the past and be hopeful for the future."

A young man in this vicinity called to spend the evening with his best girl the other night. A storm came up and the girl's father asked him to remain over night. He was a bashful young man and the next morning when he was invited to a seat at tht table, he very reluctantly accepted. He sat opposite the mirror and discovered that he had forgotten to comb his hair. Then he dropped his fork on the floor and as he stooped to pick it up he upset his coffee. Matters went from bad to worse until the young man quit eating and put his hand under the table. The loose end of the tablecloth was laying in his lap and when he touched it he turned pale. He thought it was his shirt, and in his nervous excitment while dressing he had forgotten to put the garment inside his trousers. Their were no time to lose. He hurriedly stuffed the supposed shirt inside his trousers. Two minutes later when he and the family arose from the table their was a crash. The dishes lay in a broken mass on the floor. The young man pulled three feet of the table cloth out of his pants and fled through the door. He is now hiding and the girl is is now looking for a less bashful lover.

Sued by His Doctor.

A doctor here has sued me for $12.50, which I claimed was excessive for a case of cholera morbus," says R. White, Coachella, Cal. "At the trial he praised his medical skill and medicine. I asked him if it was not the Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrecea Remedy he used as I had good reason to believe it was, and he would not say it was not." No doctor could use a better remedy than this in a case of cholera morbus, it never fails. Sold by Emlen Martin, Bristol, wholesale agent for Bucks county.

BASE BALL.

BLOOMSDALE WON FROM PENN CLUB.

Bloomsdale took a game from the Penn Club on Saturday without much trouble. The score was 13 to 7. In the first inning the visitors scored six times, on three bases on balls, a wild pitch, a hit and two errors. Shantz had no terrors for the home club, who pounced upon his delivery much harder than the score indicates. Black and Britton did the best stick work for Bloomsdale. After the first inning Bunting pitched good ball. For Penn, Gilbert did well at the bat and Danteele in the field. The score:

BLOOMSDALE.	r	h	o	a	e
Black, cf,	4	3	2	0	0
Landreth, 3b,	2	0	1	2	0
Britton, ss,	3	2	0	2	0
Bunting, p,	3	1	1	5	2
Leigh, 2b	1	1	2	2	1
Butler, c,	0	0	8	1	1
Snyder 1b,	0	1	10	0	1
Phillips, lf,	0	0	0	0	0
Midwood, rf,	0	1	3	0	0
Totals,	13	9	27	12	5

PENN CLUB.	r	h	o	a	e
Danteele, 3b,	1	1	2	2	0
Gilbert, rf,	2	2	2	0	1
Speelman, 2b,	1	1	2	1	0
Shantz, p,	1	0	1	2	0
Cline, c,	1	0	3	1	1
Armstrong, 1b,	1	0	11	0	0
Kohler, ss,	0	0	1	2	2
Thorne, cf,	0	1	1	0	2
Smith, cf,	0	0	1	0	0
Beyerle, lf,	0	0	0	0	1
Totals,	7	5	24	8	7

Bloomsdale, 3 0 5 4 0 0 1 0 x—13
Penn Club, 6 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—7

Two-base hits—Midwood, Black, Britton. Double plays—Bunting to Snyder, Danteele to Armstrong.

BRISTOL BEATS COLLEGIATES.

The game between Bristol A. A. and All Collegiates on the local's grounds Saturday was a mixture of nice plays, clever coaching, kicking and at times very loose fielding on both sides. For the locals Praul easily carried off the honors, having the visitors at his mercy, fanning out thirteen of their batsmen, besides catching two men napping in clever style. For the visitors Henderson, Wellein and Deemer did the best work. On Saturday Bristol goes to Frankford. The score:

		r	h	e
Bristol	5 0 0 0 0 6 0 0 x—11	11	13	5
All Coll.,	0 0 0 0 1 1 0 1 2—5	5	8	4

ST. MARKS DEFEATED.

On last Saturday the St. Mark's team was defeated by the score of 9 to 8 by the Young A. A team. Boyle, the pitcher for the St. Marks, pitched a good game but had bad support. St. Mark's claim they were defeated by the umpire's unfair decisions. In the eighth and ninth innings Dugan was hit hard. The feature of the game was the batting of McGee. The score:

Young A. A., 1 0 1 1 1 2 1 1 x—9
St. Marks, 0 1 1 1 2 0 1 1 1—8

Batteries—Young A. A., McCauley and Dugan; St. Marks, Roche and Boyle. Umpire—Meehan.

CORONA WON.

Corona A A opened their season on last Saturday by defeating the Hamtown A. A in a fast game. The feature of the game was the pitching of Kennedy for Corona by twice blanking his opponents after having three on bases and none out The score was 11 to 2 The score:

		r	h	e
Corona,	3 1 0 0 2 3 2 2 x—11	11	12	5
Hamtown,	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0—2	2	5	6

Earned runs—Corona 4, Hamtown 1. Two-base hit—Kennedy. Three-base hit—McElroy. Stolen bases—Dever 4, Kennedy 2, McGee, Downing. Left on bases—Corona 7, Hamtown 11. Bases on balls—Off Kennedy 4, off Ratcliffe 2 Struck out—By Kennedy 11, by Ratcliffe 7, by Hanson 2 Double play—McElroy and O'Donnell. Wild throws—McGee, P. O'Donnell and Meehan Balk—Ratcliffe. Umpire—Pope.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

Black got three nice hits.

Phillips did not get a chance.

Bunting and Snyder caught Smith napping off first.

The Pikers All Stars defeated a picked team of St. Marks on Sunday by the score of 20 to 10 at Persimmon Park.

The Bloomsdale team will have for their opponents at Bloomsdale on Saturday afternoon the strong Somerton team, one of the first members of the Suburban League, and a good game is anticipated. Game called at 3.30 sharp.

On Sunday the Pedro club met and defeated the Good Will, Jr., by the score of 20 to 2. The latter gave up the contest at the end of the fifth inning, after not having made a hit off Roche. The Pedros made ten hits off Simons and Hannabury.

On last Sunday the Hamtown Juniors defeated the Young A. A., by the score of 2 to 1. The feature of the game was the battery work of both teams, which were as follows: Hamtown, Riley and Burns; Young A. A., Pearson and McKnight.

"Take care of the pennies and the pounds will take care of themselves."

Large things are but an aggregation of small things. If we take care of the small things we are in effect taking care of the large things which the small things combine to make.

Take care of what you eat, when you eat and how you eat, and your stomach will take care of itself. But who takes care of such trivial things? That is why someday, the majority of people have to take care of the stomach. When that day comes, their is no aid so effective in undoing the results of past carelessness as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It strengthens the stomach and restores the organs of digestion and nutrition to a condition of healthy activity. It cures billiousness, heartburn, flatulence, indigestion, palpitation, dizziness, cold extremities and a score of other ailments which are but the symptoms of disorder in the stomach and its allied organs.

Correct Address.

"Isn't Columbus dead, pop?"

"Why, certainly he's dead, years and years and years ago. What put such a question into your head, my son?"

"Why, the little boy what sits next to me in school said his father addressed a letter to Columbus yesterday."

"Where did he send it, son?"

"To Ohio."—Yonkers Statesman.

Fail and the parrot will say I told you so. Win and the parrot will say he deserves credit. We are, unconsciously, most of us, parrots.—Schoolmaster.

According to the Code.

The commanding officer had surprised the young lieutenant and his daughter trying to occupy the same chair. The lieutenant sprang to his feet and saluted.

"Sir," he said, "I have the honor to report an engagement at close quarters, in which I have been entirely victorious. It now merely remains for you to give your sanction to the terms of surrender."

A Waste of Money.

"But," expostulated Jones, "if you'd only pay me what you owe me I could pay Smith what I owe him."

"I know it," said Robinson. "But Smith wouldn't pay me what he owes me. You and I would merely impoverish ourselves to enrich Smith."—Town Topics.

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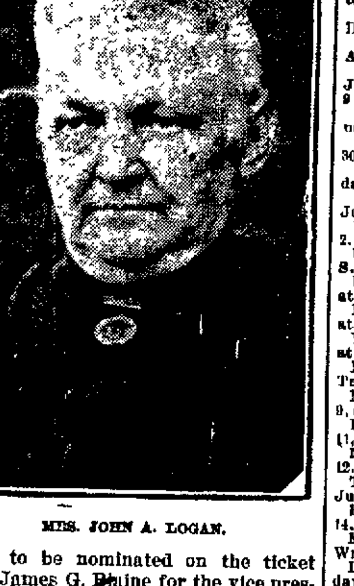
Professor Munyon says people should not overeat or overdrink just because Paw Paw enables them to digest everything that is put into the stomach. He says you must not overwork the stomach, but give it a rest the same as you do any other part of the body, and it will make you good, rich blood, strengthen and feed your nerves and prolong your life.

On sale at all druggists (large bottle), $1.00. Paw Paw laxative pills, 25c. a bottle.

PATRIOTIC AND NOBLE.

Such Is Mrs. John A. Logan, New Head of Red Cross Society.

Mrs. John A. Logan, acting president of the Red Cross Society of America, holds a place of affection in the hearts of the American people, for she gave not only husband, but son, to the service of her country. Her husband survived his frequent exposures to the bullets and shells of the enemy and



MRS. JOHN A. LOGAN.

lived to be nominated on the ticket with James G. Blaine for the vice presidency of the United States. But her son, Lieutenant John A. Logan, Jr., fell fighting for the stars and stripes in the Philippine Islands, and the sad mother, though grieving over his loss, gloried in the fact that he died a brave death.

Mrs. Logan was for some years vice president of the Red Cross society, and when on account of advanced years and the controversy over the management of the affairs of the society Miss Clara Barton, who had been its president since its organization, resigned, Mrs. Logan was chosen acting president for the interim between Miss Barton's resignation and the next meeting of the society.

Mrs. Logan as a girl knew what hardship was, and struggle and self sacrifice have molded and shaped her character. She was born in Petersburg, Mo., in 1838, her father being Captain James M. Cunningham, a native of Tennessee and a soldier of the Mexican war. She married General Logan, then a rising young attorney and politician, in 1855. Through all the struggles and dangers and successes of his career she was his devoted helpmeet. Her residence in Washington, known as "Calumet Place," which is one of the most popular homes at the capital, contains a memorial room filled with mementos of the general. Mrs. Logan has been honored with the friendship of Gladstone and Bismarck and Queen Victoria and other great men and women of the past century. The widow of General Logan is held in especial veneration by the veterans of the Grand Army. She is a woman of culture and tact, and her many accomplishments render her a charming hostess.

A Shrewd Preacher.

A preacher advocating the support of a charitable object prefaced the circulation of the boxes with this address: "From the great sympathy I have witnessed in your countenances there is only one thing I am afraid of—that some of you may feel inclined to give too much. Now, it is my duty to inform you that justice should always be a prior virtue to generosity; therefore I wish to have it thoroughly understood that no person will think of putting anything into the box who cannot pay his debts."

The result was an overflowing collection.—London Tit-Bits.

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NOTICE.

To the Taxpayers of Bucks County.

IN pursuance of an Act of Assembly, entitled an Act relating to the collection of STATE and COUNTY TAXES in the county of Bucks, approved March 29, 1879, and also for the collection of DOG TAX, the County Treasurer will meet the taxpayers of said county, at the following times and places, to receive the taxes assessed for the present year 1904:

BUCKINGHAM Buckingham, Monday, June 20, at John R Righter's Hotel
BUCKINGHAM. Lahaska, Tuesday, June 21, at Edward Rorer's Hotel.
NEW HOPE BOROUGH. Wednesday, June 22, at Michael A. Vanhart's Hotel.
SOLEBURY. Centre Bridge, Thursday, June 23, at Charles Cowby's Hotel, from 9 to 12 M
SOLEBURY Lumberville, Thursday, June 23 at Reuben Stever's Hotel, from 2 to 4 30 P M
SOLEBURY Carversville, Friday, June 24, at George F Benner's Hotel.
NEW BRITAIN. Line Lexington, Saturday, June 25, at Perry B. Tyson's Hotel, from 9 A M to 3 P M.
WARMINSTER. Monday, June 27, at Mrs. Della Duckworth's Hotel, Breadysville.
WARWICK. Jamison, Tuesday, June 28 at Andrew O Myer's Hotel.
WARRINGTON. Warrington, Wednesday, June 29, at Edward Tomlinson's Hotel, from 9 to 12 M
DOYLESTOWN TOWNSHIP. Turk, Wednesday, June 29, at Stillwagon's from 2 to 4 P M.
CHALFONT BOROUGH. Thursday, June 30 at Harry W Kelly's Hotel
DOYLESTOWN TOWNSHIP. Furlong, Friday, July 1, at John Goss's Hotel, from 9 to 12 M.
WRIGHTSTOWN. Pineville, Saturday, July 2, at Thomas Bradley's Hotel, 9 to 12 M
WRIGHTSTOWN. Anchor, Saturday, July 2, at Aaron Heaton's Hotel, 2 to 5 P. M.
UPPER MAKEFIELD. Tuesday, July 5, at S. A. Reeder's Store, from 9 to 12 M.
UPPER MAKEFIELD. Tuesday July 5, at R. L Balderston's Store, from 2 to 4 P M.
NEWTOWN BOROUGH. Wednesday, July 6, at C. C. Johnson's Temperance House
YARDLEY BOROUGH. Thursday, July 7, at Edward Insinger's Hotel.
LOWER MAKEFIELD. Friday, July 8, at Terry's Restaurant.
NEWTOWN TOWNSHIP. Saturday, July 9, at Wentworth's Store, from 9 to 3 P. M.
FALLS TOWNSHIP. Fallsington, Monday, 11, at John Severn's Hotel
MORRISVILLE BOROUGH. Tuesday, July 12, at John Hellings' Hotel.
TULLYTOWN BOROUGH. Wednesday, July 13, at Harry Woodside's Hotel.
HULMEVILLE BOROUGH. Thursday, July 14, at Gustave Schultz's Hotel, from 9 to 12 M.
MIDDLETOWN. Friday, July 14, at John S. Wright's Hotel, from 2 to 4.30 P. M.
LANGHORNE MANOR BOROUGH. Friday, July 15, at John S. Wright's Hotel, from 9 to 12 M.
ATTLEBORO BOROUGH. Friday, July 15, at Henry Palmer's Coal Office from 2 to 4 P M
LANGHORNE BOROUGH, Saturday, July 16, at Harvey Gilliam's Office.
BRISTOL BOROUGH 1st Ward, Monday, July 18, at W. H. H. Fine's Hotel.
BRISTOL BOROUGH. 2d Ward, Tuesday, July 19, at Fred King's Store.
BRISTOL BOROUGH. 3d Ward, Wednesday, July 20, at Closson House.
BRISTOL BOROUGH. 4th Ward, Thursday, July 21, at Manus J Sweeney's Restaurant.
BRISTOL BOROUGH AND TOWNSHIP. Friday, July 22, at W. H. H. Fine's Hotel.
BRISTOL TOWNSHIP. Saturday, July 23, at Mary Dugan's Hotel.
BENSALEM. Andalusia, Monday, July 25, at L. O. T Hall's Hotel.
BENSALEM. Trappe, Tuesday July 26, at at Mary Ann Worthington's Hotel.
SOUTHAMPTON Feasterville, Wednesday, July 27, at Garrett Wynkoop's Hotel.
NEWTOWN BOROUGH Thursday, July 28, at Robert Craig's Hotel.
NORTHAMPTON. Richboro, Friday, July 29, at John F. Roberts' Hotel.
NORTHAMPTON. Richboro, Saturday, July 30, at Thomas C. Yeakel's Hotel.
DOYLESTOWN BOROUGH. At the Treasurer's Office, Doylestown, Bucks county, until August 21st, 1904.

Will be at the above named places from 9 o'clock a. m until 4 o'clock p. m. (except where different time is specified on bills, and on Saturdays, when the time will be from 9 o'clock a. m. to 3 o'clock p. m) Important correspondence to insure attention must be accompanied by postage for reply, and in all cases the district wherein the property is located must be definitely given. Communications with money for taxes will not be received at the Treasurer's Office after August 27th.

Five per cent. added to State Tax not paid by August 1st.

No abatement on State and Dog Tax.

Five per cent abatement on County Tax paid on or before August 21st.

In pursuance to instructions received by me from the Auditor General, storekeepers and others will please take notice, that all Mercantile Licenses not paid to me by July 1st will be placed in the hands of a Justice of the Peace to be collected according to law.

CHAS. G. KNIGHT,
County Treasurer.

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An Ordinance

Prohibiting the riding, leading or driving of any horse or horses, mule or mules, or other beast of burden, or any cattle upon any foot walk, sidepath, or pavement of the Borough of Bristol, and providing for a penalty of Five Dollars for every such offense.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and Council of the Borough of Bristol, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same.

Section 1.—That from and after the passage of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to ride, lead or drive, or cause to be ridden, led or driven, any horse or horses, mule or mules, or other beast of burden, or any cattle, upon any footwalk, sidepath or pavement of the Borough of Bristol aforesaid.

Section 2.—Any person or persons so offending shall incur a penalty of Five Dollars for each and every such offense, to be sued for and recovered in the same manner that debts of like amount are now by law recoverable, with costs, and all and every such penalties so recovered shall be paid to the Treasurer of the said Borough of Bristol for the use of the said corporation.

Enacted into an ordinance at the Council Chamber of Bristol Borough this ninth day of May A. D. 1904.

J. M. OWENS, President.

Attest: J. Wesley Wright, Clerk.
Approved this tenth day of May, A. D. 1904.
J. DeBENNEVILLE ABBOTT, Burgess.
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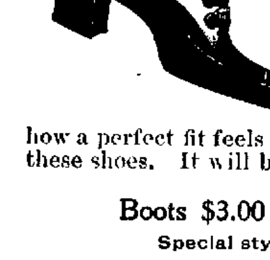

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ANNUAL STATEMENT

OF THE FINANCES OF

Bristol Borough School District

For the Year Ending 6th mo. 1st, 1904.

EDWARD H. FOSTER, Treasurer.

DR.	
Cash Balance 6th mo , 1st, 1903,	$ 71 86
Sinking Fund, 6th mo., 1st, 1903,	2,010 00
State Appropriation, ...	5,171 29
Received from taxpayers	9,899 01
F. I. Kraft, collector, dup. 1903,	1,398 80
Farmers National Bank loan,	2,000 00
Tuition non-residents, ...	163 50
County Treasurer, dog tax, ...	115 17
Insurance premiums returned,	62 50
F. I. Kraft, fines, ...	46 00
Gas, Physical Culture Class,...	5 00
Telephone calls, ...	20
Total, ...	$20,943 33

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Superintendent's salary,......	$ 806 00
Janitors salaries, ...	1,620 00
Teachers salaries,............	9,595 00
Secretary's salary,............	125 00
Treasurer's salary,............	100 00
Tax Receiver's commissions, ..	197 98
Delinquent Tax Collector's commissions, ...	139 88
Fuel for light and heat, ...	805 19
Books and stationery, ...	873 67
Repairs, ...	675 96
Interest, ...	601 67
State Tax on Bonds, ...	56 00
Water Rent,...................	63 00
Care of Clocks, ...	25 00
Telephones, ...	50 88
Printing, ...	106 88
Bond number one, 2d series,	1,000 00
Farmers National Bank, loan,	2,000 00
Truant Officer, ...	30 00
Fund for redemption of bonds,	1,590 00
Balance, cash on hand,..	421 22
Total, ...	$20,943 33

Account of Collection of Tax., E. H. Foster, Receiver.

Duplicate for 1903, ...		$12,040 53
Received the first 60 days,................	$9,415 73	
Five per cent discount on above,.........	495 72	
Received last 60 days,.....................	483 28	
Delinquent Balance, ...	1,645 80	—$12,040 53

Amount of Collection of Delinquent Tax.

Uncollected bal. dup., 1896, ...	$ 51 57	Amt. paid Treas. dup. 1903, ...	$1,398 80
Delinquent—duplicate 1903, ...	1,645 80	Remits and errors dup. 1903, ...	247 00
		Uncollected bal. dup., 1896, ...	51 57
Total,....	$1,697 37	Total, ...	$1,697 37

RESOURCES—	Cash balance on hand, 6th mo. 1st, 1904,	$ 421 22	
	Fund for Redemption of Bonds,..........	1,590 00	
	Uncollected balance duplicate, 1896, ...	51 57	
	Real Estate and Personal—estimated, ...	60,000 00	—$62,062 79
LIABILITIES—	Bonds outstanding,......	$14 000 00	
	Notes outstanding,......................	2,000 00	—$16,000 00
	Net Resources, ...		$46,062 79

MORRIS D. HARRISON,
RICHARD T. MYERS,
PATRICK J. BARRETT, } Auditing Committee.

Approved by the Board at the annual meeting, held June 8th, 1904.

JOHN K. WILDMAN, President.

Attest:—HARVEY S. RUE, Secretary.

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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE

William N. Jarvis has resigned his position at the Farmers National Bank.

Miss Georgia Bailey Carver is paying an extended visit to her aunt, Mrs. Anna Bailey King.

On Saturday there will be a big excursion of Methodist congregations to Burlington Island Park.

Miss Sue Barnard, of Philadelphia, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry King on Cedar street.

Miss Polly Gilbreath has returned to Baltimore after spending a fortnight with Miss Alice Dorrance.

Misses Beatrice and Bessie Chambers and Bertha Muschert spent several days last week in Pennington, N. J.

Patrick McLaughlin, of Philadelphia, a former resident of Bristol, was calling upon old friends here on Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Rue is spending several days with her cousins, Misses Helen and Edith Oakford, at Merchantville, N. J.

Miss Lucy M. Peterson, of Jefferson avenue, spent Sunday with Miss Harriet W. Londerbough, of Tioga, Philadelphia.

Camille von Bressensdorf, of Philadelphia, and Karl Leinbach, of Reading, were the guests of Emil Erthal over Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Kean, of Providence, R. I., who was formerly Miss Casey, of Bristol, is the guest of Mrs. Carr, Wood street.

Mrs. Mary Wilson, Mrs. Charles Wilson and children and Miss Susie Christie, of Radcliffe street, are sojourning at Atlantic City.

The Sisters of the I. H. M. convent are chancing off a $300 piano, the proceeds to be used in installing a heating system in the convent.

Tickets have been issued by Hermione Company No. 10 U. R. K. P. for a complimentary entertainment to be held in Pythian Hall tonight.

The monthly shoot of the Bristol Gun Club for the "Grandy Cup" will be held on Saturday afternoon at the club grounds above Tullytown.

The meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held at the residence of Miss S. M. Hawke on Wednesday afternoon, June 22, at 3.30 o'clock.

John W. Foster, of East Bristol township, attended the sessions of the Grand Council of the Improved Order Red Men of Pennsylvania at Harrisburg this week.

While the family of Charles Mack, who reside on Trenton avenue, were at work in the mill on Tuesday afternoon, a robber broke into their residence and stole three watches.

Miss Helen Gilkeson and Miss Rose, of Philadelphia, and Horace Swain and Frankin Gilkeson made a trip to Spring Lake, N. J., last Saturday in Mr. Gilkeson's automobile.

In a shooting contest on last Saturday afternoon between the Bristol Gun Club and the Bristol Shooting Association on the latter's grounds, the former won by the score of 111 to 100 targets.

On Saturday afternoon, June 18, the annual picnic of the German Lutheran Sunday school will be held on the lawn of the German Club. Refreshments will be for sale. Everybody cordially invited.

The annual conference of the African M. E. Church recently held in Philadelphia has assigned Rev. A. M. Buckley to the Bristol charge for another year much to the delight of the members and his friends.

The Mite Society of the M. E. Church held a clipping party on the church lawn on last Saturday evening. The decorations were of an elaborate character, but the attendance was much smaller than anticipated.

An old copper penny bearing the date of 1800 was found by one of the workmen engaged in rebuilding the Mill street wharf. It was in a good state of preservation and was purchased by J. H. Vanzant, the curiodealer.

St. Mark's annual commencement and entertainment will be held on Friday evening, June 2. The graduates will be Katie Brogan, Anna McIlvaine, Mary Motz, Rose Dougherty of Bristol, and Anna Coughlin, of Tullytown.

List of letters remaining in the Bristol post office on June 15: Joseph Corpkski, Pascuale Cosotello, William Slimm, Mrs. M. Saylor, Lizzie Ress, Maggie Baker, Esther Moyer, James L. Deveraux, Mary Campbell, John T. Thorn and family.

Former Burgess Benjamin S. Johnson was an usher at the wedding yesterday of Deputy Sheriff E. M. Yerkes, of Doylestown, and Miss Sara E. Hibberd of Philadelphia. The ceremony took place at the Church of Incarnation, Broad and Jefferson streets.

Thirteen rows of reserved seats have been sold for the minstrel entertainment which will be given for the benefit of the Bristol Library at the Colonial Theatre next Tuesday evening. Only four rows of reserved seats remain.

A lawn social will be held on Saturday evening, June 18th, between 7 and 10, at the Friends' School House, Cedar street, between Walnut and Mulberry streets, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of Christ English Evangelical Lutheran Church. All are welcome.

Services at Christ English Evangelical Lutheran Church, Friends' School House, Cedar street, Sunday morning at 10.30 and Sunday evening at 7.30. Sunday school in the afternoon at three o'clock. All are welcome. Theme of morning sermon: "God's Interest in Sinners."

A grand prize drawing, conducted by Sarah E. Bevan Home, No. 41, for a silk umbrella, took place last Thursday evening in Foresters' Hall. The winning number was 448, and was held by Miss C. Berryan, of Croydon. The members of the Home thank all who made the drawing such a success.

Miss Mary B. Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davis, and Frank Gasser, both of Trenton, were married Saturday evening at the home of the bride's parents, 61 Bellevue avenue, by Rev. Charles H. Elder, pastor of the Trinity Methodist Church. After a wedding tour through New England, Mr. and Mrs. Gasser will reside at 61 Bellevue avenue, Trenton.

Children's Day was appropriately celebrated at the Bristol M. E. Church on Sunday. At the morning service the pastor Rev. D. Mast Gordon preached a sermon to the children and in the evening the Sunday School held its celebration in the church auditorium. The collection taken at the session of the Sunday School held in the afternoon amounted to over $30.00.

Frank Shoemaker and Frank Mackie, employees of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, were arrested in Bristol on Sunday charged with disorderly conduct on the cars of the Philadelphia, Bristol and Trenton line. The men spent the night in the police station and in the morning were fined $2.50 each and costs imposed by 'Squire Kraft. The men had been drinking and were conductors' uniforms.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

The regular monthly meeting of the Bristol Borough Council was held in the Council chamber on Monday evening. The absentees were Messrs. Dugan, Highland, Pool and Rathke.

The Public Property committee verbally reported that the Delaware River Transportation Company had been notified to repair the Mill street wharf forthwith and that the company was now engaged in making thorough improvements.

The Police committee reported that 21 arrests were made by the officers during the month, 7 for assault and battery, 11 for drunkenness, 2 for furnishing liquor to persons of known intemperate habits, and 1 demented person. Eight street lights were reported out during month, 6 arcs and 2 incandescents. Seventy-two wayfarers rested at the station house.

The ordinance granting rights and privileges to the Delaware and Atlantic Telephone an Telegraph Company, was put upon final passage and was adopted.

A petition from citizens and taxpayers residing at the upper end of Radcliffe street was read asking that the deserted building formerly occupied by Kate McAdam, near the Hollow bridge, be torn down as it had become a rendezvous for tramps and was a menace to the safety of the neighborhood. Referred to the Sanitary committee.

The resignation of James A. Dugan, who had removed from the Fourth to the Third ward, was presented and accepted.

There being vacancies in the First and Fourth ward delegations, the members went into an election to fill the places until the Spring election. William L. Johnson was nominated to succeed Albert M. Pepper and Martin Fallon was nominated to succeed James A. Dugan. There being no other nominations the candidates were elected by acclamation, the clerk casting the ballots.

Upon motion of Mr. Hoeding, Frank T. Chambers was re-elected superintendent of the fire alarm system for one year at the same compensation as heretofore paid.

Mr. Dougherty called the Street committee's attention of the pavement at the corner of Bath and Buckley streets and along the Bailey property on Buckley street from Bath to the race. President Owens directed attention to the condition of Lafayette street above Wood. Referred to Street committee.

Mr. Hoeding declared that the residents of Otter street were sorely disturbed by reason of the clouds of dust raised by the trolleys on that thoroughfare, and wanted to know if the company could be compelled to sprinkle the street.

The following bills were ordered paid:

Ira Mitchell, removing garbage,	$ 50 00
Police salaries,	310 00
Telephone tolls, police station,	50
Wanamaker & Brown, trousers for police,	30 00
Jacob Schell, payment on account of culvert work,	500 00
C. H. Bunting, carting for Street committee,	28 50
H. B. Vanhorn, blacksmithing for Street committee,	1 50
Peirce & Williams, lumber for Street committee,	1 74
C. M. Goyon, painting Nos. 1 and 2 fire houses,	137 00
James Drury, printing and advertising,	31 75
F. T. Chambers, 3 mos. salary Supt. fire alarm,	37 50
Peirce & Williams, coal for poor,	5 00
James Harkins, groceries for poor,	2 00
L. A. Hoguet, medicine for poor,	1 30
J. C. Thomas & Sons, printing and advertising,	60 75
Albert Vanhorn, copy of assessment,	6 00
A. L. Watt, copy of assessment,	6 00
Edward Minster, copy of assessment,	6 00
John Taffe, copy of assessment,	6 00
Bristol Electric Light and Power Co., street lighting,	365 60
Street committee pay roll,	116 00

Bristol School Affairs.

Editor Gazette: The report of the annual meeting of the School Board published in last week's Gazette is entirely correct in its statement of facts, but something more might be said in explanation of the motive of the majority concerning their vote on the tax rate. The discussion which the question invited related mainly to the financial condition of the district.

At the close of the school year in 1901, the district was in debt to the treasurer $618.77. During the summer of 1902 the board ordered a hot water heating plant for the Bath street school house, a necessity too long delayed. Its cost was $1,900.

This in addition to the above debt, necessitated either an increase in the tax rate or the negotiation of a temporary loan.

The latter alternative was chosen, and the debt was paid out of the first tax receipts thereafter, only to be repeated the following year, as the receipts were insufficient to cover the payment in addition to the ordinary expenses. The question arose at the late meeting, should the process continue indefinitely, or should provision be made to extinguish the debt and thus avoid resorting to an expedient of doubtful propriety? The majority decided to take measures to cancel the debt and acted accordingly. The minority took a modified view of the situation. The proposed increase in the teachers' salaries requires but four-tenths of a mill on the dollar of the general valuation. The remaining six-tenths of the one-mill increase in the rate amounts to about $1,550.

A few facts relating to the past history of school affairs may not here be amiss. In 1889 the school tax was fifty cents on the $100, the same as it has been during the last three years. Then there were 14 schools and 14 teachers; now there are 19 schools and 21 teachers. Then there were 740 pupils attending school; last year there were 1012. Then the cost of instruction for each pupil per month was $1.04; now it is only thirty cents more. At that time the district had a liability of $6,212.35, which was entirely paid a few years later, and before the High School was established. It is not a creditable reflection that this was done by the aid of the state appropriation, which was never intended for such a purpose, but was meant, primarily, to promote the welfare and efficiency of the schools by the appointment of good teachers, and especially to encourage the payment of adequate salaries. The lowering of the tax rate up to 1894, the year the High School building was erected, was due, I blush to say, to the same source of helpfulness. The bonded debt of $19,000 incurred by this building has been reduced to $14,000; and the reduction will go on year after year till it is extinguished.

Our schools do not languish. They have progressed. In order to show that our pupils have educational advantages superior to those in vogue in the '80's, I need only state that not less than seven bunches of study have been introduced since then, namely, general history, English history, civil government, Latin, rhetoric, commercial geography, and English and American literature.

Few parents of our school children can afford to send them to other schools, where they would profit by better tuition and higher advantages. Let us, therefore, if we can, bring better tuition and higher advantages to them. The rising generation will surely give proof of the improved utility and progressive spirit of our schools. If we would be proud of them we should make them worthy of our pride.

All things considered, the action of the directors, in the past or in the present, does not seem to admit of even a modest measure of reproach; but if any one should see fit to indulge in criticism or admonition, let him be sure that his notions have the benefit of a background of knowledge, and are not ground in the crucible of ignorance.

Bristol, June 13, 1904. J. K. Wildman.

C. C. Strumfels has placed a horse and wagon on his route and is now supplying the wholesale tobacco trade in lower Bucks county, being the only wholesale dealer in this vicinity. See his ad. elsewhere in this issue.

Roelofs Postmaster Fined.

Robert S. Clewell, postmaster at Roelofs, this county, who was recently arrested upon the charge of using stamps in payment of personal debts pleaded guilty in the United States District Court on Tuesday and was fined $25.

The Patton Sale.

On Friday, June 24th, the cigar and tobacco stock, with other personal property of the late Thomas W. Patton will be sold at public sale on the premises lately occupied by him, 6 and 8 Mill street, Bristol. No doubt this sale will attract a large number of buyers as there is a large stock to be disposed of by the administrators.

Musicales Galore.

Within the next few weeks there will be musicales galore in Bristol, the teachers having announced the dates of their annual events as follows:

Miss Kate Baker St. James Parish Building, June 28th; Miss Mary P. Rogers, Parochial Hall, June 29th; Miss Marie A. Gilkeson, Mechanics' Hall, June 25th; Miss Laura S. King, Pythian Hall, June 30th.

Don't Forget the Library Benefit.

Colored minstrels, acrobats, magicians, vaudeville—all local talent. You know them in the white, see if you'll know them in the black. Colonial Theatre on Tuesday evening, June 21st. The following gentlemen will participate: Harry Bunting, Frank Horn, Horace Young, Walter F. Hall, Harry Daniels, William Lefferts, Charles Blondell, Harry Wilkinson, Harry Sheppard, James Guy, John Heslop, Howard Case, Wesley Sipler, James Lefferts.

Off for St. Louis.

National Representative Doron Green will leave here tomorrow evening for St. Louis, where he will attend the annual session of the National Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., which convenes on Tuesday, June 21st. At Philadelphia Mr. Green will join a party of friends who will take the Chesapeake & Ohio and the Big Four route, passing through Virginia and West Virginia and arriving at St. Louis. The managers of the fair have set apart Thursday, June 23, as Jr. O. U. A. M. day, when an appropriate celebration will be held.

Big Cut in Wages at Mint.

In compliance with the order of Congress, Superintendent John H. Landis announced a big reduction in wages at the Philadelphia mint effecting one hundred and twenty-five employees, to take effect July 1st.

The bill which calls for the reduction as approved by the President on March 18 last.

Laborers who have been getting $840 a year will hereafter recove $660; firemen, watchmen and assistant messengers who are drawing $940 will get but $720 after July 1st, while the pay of charwomen will be cut from $440 a year to $240. Orders have been received to close down the mint from July 1st to July 25th.

Joseph W. Swain, Jr Graduates

The University of Pennsylvania seniors and their friends celebrated "Class Day" at the Garrick Theatre, Philadelphia, on Monday morning. When the curtain was raised the seniors were discovered seated on the stage clad in the prescribed cap and gown. In their centre sat Joseph W. Swain, Jr., of Bristol, the class president, who arose at once to deliver the salutatory address. After the valedictory was delivered the senior gown was transferred by Swain to S. B. Whitestone, who received it in the absence of H. B. Taylor, the senior president-elect "Joe" Swain has been one of the most popular members of the class of '04. For several years he has been a member of the University base ball team and ranked as one of the heaviest hitters.

Entertained at Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Spangler entertained a number of friends at their home on Maple street, Bristol, on last Friday evening. A very pleasant time was spent and at a late hour refreshments were served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs McComskey, Mr and Mrs Austin Sutton, Mr and Mrs John Moore and daughter, Violet, Mr and Mrs Albert Bailey, Mr and Mrs Jacob Schmidt, Mrs. Brooks, Mrs Watt, Mrs Ellis, Mrs Maurice Spangler, Misses Florence Moore, Ella and Anna Rossenu, Alida Ellis, Kate McDonald, Kate Brady. Albert Lewis, Alfred Tiernan, Harvey Crowther, of Torresdale; Clifton and Louis Watt, Lizzie and Albert Rothenberger, May Spangler, Pearl Schmidt, Alida Spangler, Mr. and Mrs Samuel Spangler.

Sudden Death of Miss Hetherington.

Miss Jennie Hetherington died suddenly at her home, 916 Wood street, Bristol, on Monday afternoon at about half-past five o'clock.

At 5.20 Miss Hetherington was in the yard of her home and conversed with a neighbor and seemed to be in a cheerful mood. When her father, Christopher Hetherington, came home from his work, little before six o'clock, he found that no preparations had been made for supper, and his daughter, contrary to her custom, was not about. Upon investigation he was startled to find her reclining upon a bed in the third story. He soon discovered that something was wrong and Dr. E. J. Groom was hastily summoned. When the physician arrived he pronounced life extinct.

The deceased was 27 years of age and kept house for her father and brother. The mother died some time ago.

Indian Dies At Bristol.

There was considerable excitement in the Indian camp connected with Pawnee Bill's wild west show in Bristol last Thursday night, when Justice Goodvoice Eagle, an infant member of the tribe, died of pneumonia. For two or three hours a crowd of twenty-five bucks and squaws took possesion of Harvey S. Rue's undertaking shop, and, according to the peculiar Indian custom, kept up a weird performance moaning and crying. An attempt was made to have the baby buried here, but the chief would not permit it, so the body was embalmed and prepared for shipment. Friday morning, Edward Quickbear left for the Rosebud Indian Agency, at Valentine, Nebraska, accompanying the corpse. The death certificate, which the Board of Health regulations require, was signed by Edward Springer, the "medicine man" of the tribe.

A Brutal Assault.

A stranger, who said he was John Seger, of Newark, N. J., was foully dealt with by four companions, umbrella menders, last night in the neighborhood of the ice plant at South Bristol. Seger had been in company with the tinkers about Bristol all day and was known to have a few dollars. His companions assaulted him and beat him until he was in an unconscious condition; he was then robbed of his money and the body placed on the trolley tracks.

The motorman of an incoming trolley saw the form on the rails and stopped the car and put the injured man aboard and brought him to Bristol. After robbing their companion the men returned to Bristol to buy some liquor, and two of the men were arrested by John Irwin and Lewis Hellings, who learned of the assault and hold-up from the trolley conductor, who brought the victim to town. The other two men escaped. The two arrested were placed in the lock-up. The hearing had not been held when the Gazette went to press.

Roses! Carnations! Sweet Peas!

For musicals and commencements. Bouquets and baskets nicely arranged. All shades of ribbon. Fine funeral flowers and designs, palm leaves, sheaves of wheat, etc.

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POLITICAL DRIFT.

By card in today's Gazette, Washington Cadwallader, of Warrington township, makes official announcement of his candidacy for the Republican nomination of Register of Wills. Mr. Cadwallader is a native of Bucks county, having been born in Warrington in 1871, and resided there all his life. When twenty years of age he succeeded his father, at the latter's death in the management of the large Cadwallader farm. Continuously for eleven years he has represented his district in the Republican County Committee. For ten years he has been a director of the Danboro Live Stock Insurance Association. In 1896 Mr. Cadwallader was elected school director and chosen secretary of the board and is now serving his third term in that capacity, being re-elected in 1899 and again in 1902, each time leading his ticket. This is the only public office he has ever held. In 1898 he was elected a delegate to the Republican State Convention. In 1901 he was elected a director in the White Hall Fire Insurance Company. Mr. Cadwallader is one of the active young Republicans of the Middle district who commands the confidence and respect of his neighbors and acquaintances. He has received much encouragement throughout the Middle district in his canvass for the nomination.

The political campaign in Bucks county is beginning to take shape and Republican candidates are becoming active. The liveliest contest that has so far developed is for the nomination of Register of Wills. According to the rotation system which is in vogue, the nomination is conceded to the Middle district and there are now three active aspirants. George W. Radcliffe, of Buckingham; Elmer E. Funk, of Doylestown, and Washington Cadwallader, of Warrington. They are all young men of vigorous natures and each has a host of friends, and when it comes time to make a final decision there will be many a Republican who will be sorely perplexed in making a choice.

For the County Treasurership there are three avowed candidates—John B. Poore, of Reigelsville; Jacob Myers, of Perkasie, and Thomas Y. McCarty, of Nockamixon township. The latter is a passive candidate, while Messrs. Poore and Myers are out daily on the firing line. The nomination is conceded to the Upper end.

Lewis H. Clemens of Doylestown township, is the only announced candidate for Coroner to succeed Dr. Kunsman, of Morrisville. Mr. Clemens holds the position of Deputy Coroner.

For the Assembly nominations at the present time no contests are being waged. In the upper end Warren F. Cressman, of Sellersville, is conceded a re nomination. In the Middle district Roland Flack, of Warwick township, is the only announced aspirant, while in the Lower end, Joseph S. Thomas, of Bristol, has a clear field. How long this placid condition will continue is unknown.

The appointment of a postmaster to succeed the late Charles Beans, of Fallsington, has not yet been made, Congressman Wanger not having filed any recommendation in the matter. Edward Beans, who has been conducting the office since the death of his father, and William Watson have both been urged for appointment by patrons of the office. The former has been endorsed by the Richards faction while the latter in his candidacy is encouraged by the Fish faction. Upper Falls is generally involved in a contest of some kind between the two Republican elements and the result of the postoffice contest is awaited with considerable interest.

Teachers Salaries Raised.

A special meeting of the Bristol Public School Board was held last evening for the purpose of electing the teachers and janitors for the next fiscal year. All the old teachers applied for re-election except Miss Katherine Bell, teacher of Primary C Department, No. 1, in the Washington street building. A vacancy being thus created in that department, Miss Jennie LaRue, who has been an assistant teacher in the Secondary department in the old building on Wood street during the past year, was unanimously elected to take Miss Bell's position, and Miss Helen Morris, of Wayne, Pa., was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the advancement of Miss LaRue. Following is a list of the teachers, together with the departments in which they teach:

High School Building—High School principal, Jennie C. Adams; geography and history teacher, Frances Hykes; latin and drawing teacher, Reba L. Knight; Grammar A, Rachel E Bartine; Grammar B, Damaris Peters; Primary A, Ella Mathias; Primary B, Mary G. Wilkinson; Primary C, Anna L. Brady.

Old building, Wood street—Grammar B, No. 2, Minnie L. Rodrock; Secondary, Clara M. Parks; assistant, Helen Morris.

Bath street building—Grammar B, Eva Gould; Secondary, Margaret Barrett; Primary A, Alice V. Lippincott; Primary B, Carrie G. Minster; Primary C, No. 1, Anna A. Lattimer; Primary C, No. 2, Elizabeth R. Betts.

Washington street building—Primary A, K. Anna Rumsey; Primary B, Annie M. Myers; Primary C, No. 1, Jennie LaRue; Primary C, No. 2, Bertha Hetherington.

The election for janitors resulted as follows: High school building, John Lumm; old building, Wood street, Mrs. Ella Wilson; Washington street building, John Booz; Bath street building, John H. Bunting.

President Wildman announced the appointment of the following committees:

Committee on Schools—P. J. Barrett, Doron Green, Fred Stuckert.

Committee on Supplies—M. D. Harrison, William Buckman, Daniel Gallagher.

Committee on Books—H. S. Rue, Edward H. Foster, William Booz.

Committee on Property—Edward H. Foster, Dominick Barrett, Richard Myers.

Committee on Library—J. K. Wildman, Doron Green, H. S. Rue.

The salaries of the teachers were set as follows: High school principal, $55 per month; assistant in secondary grade, Wood street, $35 per month, and all the teachers in the other grades $50 per month. This is an advance of $5 per month for all the teachers except the assistant in the secondary department, and the drawing and latin teacher, the salary of the latter being increased from $47 to $50.

The bond of the treasurer for $15,000 was presented and approved. It was decided to re-open the schools after the summer holidays, on Monday, September 5th. The Library committee was instructed to have one hundred graduates' certificates printed. The salaries for the superintendent and janitors for the month of June and the teachers' salaries for school month ending June 29th were ordered paid.

The salaries of the janitors were placed as follows: High school building, $42.50; old building, Wood street, $32.50; Bath street, $37.50; Washington street, $32.50. This is a general increase of $2.50 per month.

Geraniums! Coleus!

See the best new bedding varieties; large stocky plants in full bloom. Also Heliotrope, fushias, begonias, cosmos, ageratum, scarlet sage, verbenas, phlox, cigar plants, lobelia, parlor ivy, thimbergia, nasturtiums, sweet alyssium, aster plants, young chrysanthemum plants, all the new varieties; vases, boxes and hanging baskets filled. Palms and ferns, late cabbage plants, choice cut flowers for commencements and musicales.

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Reduced Rates to Chicago.

For the benefit of those desiring to attend the Republican National Convention to be held at Chicago, June 21 to 24, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round-trip tickets to Chicago, from all stations on its lines, from June 16 to 20, inclusive, good returning, leaving Chicago not later than June 29, at rate of single fare for the round trip. For specific information concerning rates and time of trains, consult nearest ticket agent.

Exhibition Day at Eddington.

Tuesday was a gala day at St. Francis Industrial School, Eddington, the occasion being the annual class day exercises and the industrial exhibition.

A number of distinguished visitors were present, including Congressmen Morrell, Moon and Castor, of Philadelphia. Mrs. Morrell, by whose beneficence the institution is supported, was also present as well as a number of other ladies.

At half-past two the three companies of cadets, accompanied by the Cadet Band, were reviewed in battalion and skirmish drills and dress parade.

After the military exercises the guests made a tour of inspection of the shops, visiting the wood-turning and carving, carpentery, blacksmithing, shoe making, tailoring, stone-cutting and plumbing departments. Those who had never before visited the shops were greatly surprised to learn of the magnitude of the institution and the adeptness of the boys who were working at the various trades. In the art furniture department, chairs, tables, altars and altar furniture of the most artistic designs are made by the lads of the average age of fourteen years. In the blacksmithing shop twenty forges are manned by boys who turn out all kinds of iron work. In the tailoring room clothes and shirts are made and in the shoe factory good stout footwear is made.

After the shops had been thoroughly inspected the scholars and visitors assembled in the large hall where the literary exercises were conducted. The programme was as follows:

Medley overture,	Boys' orchestra
High School March,	Choir
"The Ideal Republic,"	Recitation
"The Mother's Prayer,"	Vocal Solo
"The Great Elixir,"	One Act Farce
"My Own United States,"	Choir
"Be Careful What You Say,"	Recitation
Dumb Bell Exercises,	Seventh Grade
Address,	Hon. Reuben O. Moon
Awarding of Prizes	
Grand March,	Orchestrra

Nine boys having completed the curriculum of study and having complied with the requirements of the trades to which they have been apprenticed, were presented with certificates of distinction by Gen. Morrell.

Special prizes of watches were awarded for general proficiency, drawing, cabinet making, finishing, wood carving, machinery, wood turning, carpentry, blacksmithing, shoemaking, tailoring, gardening, baking and cooking. Samples of the work upon which the prizes were awarded were exhibited. After the exercises the following menu was served: Chicken salad, croquettes, deviled crabs, ice cream, cakes, coffee. The guests were cordially entertained by the Director Brother Ferdinand and his associates.

CHILDREN'S DAY.

[The following poem was written for the GAZETTE by Edna Pike, aged fourteen years, of Bridgewater, Pa.]

The church is bedecked with flowers,
All within and without is so gay,
The fragrance of lilies and roses
Make even more sacred the day.

The children are dressed in their neatest,
From the crown of their heads to their toes,
They look even sweeter than flowers,
With their little white bonnets and bows.

The children have each a small token;
For the love they feel is so strong.
Many have flowers and recitals,
Others come filled with a song.

Now listen, my child, and remember,
As each little offering is given—
Who said, as He took the small children,
"Of such is the kingdom of heaven."

Marriage Licenses.

Licenses to wed have been granted to Charles Theurer, of Hulmeville, and Miss Elizabeth M. Leigh, of Fallsington; H. Chas. Jacques and Miss Lydia Kelly, both Penn Valley; John P. Halligan, of Newtown, and Miss Catharine G McCullough, of Lower Makefield.

Lear and Brock Case Continued.

Henry Lear and George P Brock, the Doylestown Bank officials, charged with misapplying funds of the defunct institution to the amount of $130,000, will not be tried until next September. Judge McPherson, in the United States District Court, yesterday morning, granted a continuance of the case until the fall term of court.

Beauty Spots in Bucks.

In answer to a query about pleasing summer resorts The Philadelphia Bulletin printed the following on Wednesday: "Bucks county, Pa., perhaps affords as many spots attractive to the eye of the summer boarder as any other locality adjacent to Philadelphia. The territory along the New Hope branch of the P & R. Railway is high and healthful and boarding houses abound. Try Wycombe, Buckingham or New Hope."

Bella Wespy at Doylestown.

Saturday evening Jailer Elmer E. Stout was called to the entrance of the Jail at Doylestown by a ring and found a woman and boy awaiting him. He inquired of the woman what she wanted and she replied in language which seemed to show that she was demented. He inquired her name and found that she was Bella Wespy, of Bristol, who some months ago was sentenced to one year in the County Jail, along with her brother, who was given 18 months for resisting an officer. Some time after her commitment she was judged insane and was taken on to the Norristown Insane Asylum, from which she was taken about five months ago by her brother, when his term expired. Mr. Stout telephoned to Bristol about the woman and was told to lock her up as the officials there intended to have a commission in lunacy appointed and have her returned to Norristown. She was committed and the little boy will be kept with her until the commission meets.

Dr. Brown's Visit Prolonged.

Dr. Brown, the foot specialist at 216 High street, Burlington, N. J., has prolonged his visit there until June 25th, 1904. Mrs. William L. Elliott, Mill street, Bristol; Mrs. B Wagner, High street, and Miss J. D. Wellner, Union street, Burlington, say five years ago Dr. Brown permanently cured their corns, bunions and ingrowing toe nails. No foot troubles since. Mr. F. F. F. Randolph, teller Mechanics, National Bank, Burlington; Mr. C. P. Adams at Anthony's grocery, High Street, Burlington; A. H. Stockton, 501 Broad street, Beverly, say Dr. Brown cured permanently by his painless antiseptic method their bunions, enlarged great toe joints, corns and ingrowing toe nails. No footaches since. A lady chiropodist for ladies. Remember his stay in Burlington is only until June 25th, 1904. Office hours: 8 to 8. Sundays, 10 to 4.

Triumphs of Modern Surgery.

Wonderful things are done for the human body by surgery. Organs are taken out and scraped and polished and put back, or they may be removed entirely; bones are spliced; pipes take the place of diseased sections of veins; antiseptic dressings are applied to wounds, bruises, burns and like injuries before inflammation sets in, which causes them to heal without maturation and in one-third the time required by the old treatment. Chamberlain's Pain Balm acts on this same principle. It is an antiseptic and when applied to such injuries, causes them to heal very quickly. It also allays the pain and soreness. Keep a bottle of Pain Balm in your home and it will save you time and money, not to mention the inconvenience and suffering which such injuries entail.

For sale by Emlen Martin, Bristol, wholesale agent for Bucks county.

An Open Letter.

From the Chapin S. C., News: Early in the spring my wife and I were taken with diarrhoea and so severe were the pains that we called a physician who prescribed for us, but his medicines failed to give any relief. A friend who had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy on hand gave each of us a dose and we at once felt the effects. I procured a bottle and before using the entire contents we were entirely cured. It is a wonderful remedy and should be found in every household. H. C. Bailey, Editor. This remedy is for sale by Emlen Martin, Bristol, wholesale agent for Bucks county.

Exhibition Day at Eddington.

Every boy in Bucks County who reads the Gazette should read the following paragraph taken from an exchange, and then paste it in his hat:

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Bonds, securities, etc.	223,317 09
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures	9,500 00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)	2,694 70
Due from approved reserve agents	77,153 70
Checks and other cash items	248 22
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Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer,	2,000 00
Total	$880,994 43

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Capital stock paid in	$ 92,220 00
Surplus fund	175,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	11,118 50
National Bank notes outstanding	36,080 00
Due to other National Banks	43,286 06
Dividends unpaid	1,501 20
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Total	$880,994 43

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A Lesson From The Play

By HOWARD FIELDING

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THERE were long racks for hats just outside the door of the hotel dining room, and as I was endeavoring to find my own headgear in the midst of the great and varied assortment a man spoke my name in a tone of surprise

"Upon my word," he exclaimed, with unusual earnestness, "I'm glad to see you! I'm mighty glad to see you here!"

I was glad to see him, too, though I might not have stated it in a manner so emphatic as his own To me he was merely a friend unexpectedly met in a strange city, to him I certainly seemed to be something more He was John M Crawford, whom I have known intimately since our school days twenty-five years ago We are both in business in New Haven, and one of us has been very prosperous, as anybody might guess from Crawford's aggressive and confident demeanor

"I heard you were in Denver," said he.

"I'm half way home," was my reply "I had a bit of business in this city and stopped off for a day and a night"

"Well, I've a bit of business here, too," he said, "and you can help me out with it It's not exactly in my line nor to my liking, but it is got to be done"

Naturally I asked him what it was He led me to a retired spot in a corner of the hotel office, and when we were seated he pulled a folded piece of pink paper from his pocket I perceived immediately that it was a theatrical programme, a single sheet such as one will see in 'one night' towns I looked at Crawford in surprise, for he is not a man who takes an interest in the drama

He held the programme up before my eyes and put his finger upon a name in the list of the performers It was Wallace Ford

"Yes," said I, "he's an actor His mother told me last winter that he had gone into the profession"

"She told me so, too," replied Crawford, "and I was sorry, though I have no prejudice against the stage, none whatever"

He spoke almost as if he were repelling an accusation

"Well?" said I

"This boy has got himself into trouble," said Crawford "That's why I'm here His mother asked me to see what I could do She would have come herself, but she is not well enough to make the journey"

My sympathy as well as my curiosity was aroused Nellie Ford was a school friend of mine many years ago, and she was the sort of girl that one always remembers Her childish beauty and unfailing buoyancy of spirit seem to be a part of my own youth Her name wasn't Ford, of course, in those old days when Jack Crawford and I used to sharpen lead pencils for her and be darkly jealous of each other We were never jealous of Ford, who was a much older boy and quite out of the field of rivalry as we viewed it then. But he was the candidate of fate, and to such there can be no opposition. He had "prospects" when he married Nellie, and they were no more than prospects when he died ten years later He bequeathed them to his wife and his son. Some day they would get a share of a considerable estate, but it was a long time coming

"So Wally Ford has got himself into trouble," said I. "Well, we'll get him out. That's all settled Now I'll hear the story"

"He's fallen in love with a girl in this company," said my friend. "She's older than he is and—and quite out of the question She's been married and divorced—or—two or three times, I believe. Really, you know, it's mighty hard to say anything against a woman even when the worst that one is tempted to say isn't half as bad as the truth. But in this case I think there's no doubt that the woman's motives are entirely mercenary You know Wally must get his money soon in the mere course of nature Old Timothy Ford can't live forever And this girl has found it out and has made up her mind to marry Wally The boy has written to his mother, and she is fairly prostrated. So here I am"

"Have you seen him?" I asked.

"Yes, I had a talk with him this afternoon, and he is the most obstinate young blunderhead that ever I encountered Before I had fairly approached the subject he said he would throw me out of the window for venturing to hint that the young woman's past might be considered an obstacle. Well, you know me I'll make an affidavit that no man lives who is more careful in the matter of a woman's good name"

"You may have been too careful," I suggested "The boy should know the facts He'll know them some day. Let's go and see him now together"

"It's too late," said Crawford "He's gone to the theater. I'm to meet him afterward. Suppose we have a look at the play"

I assented, and after we had smoked together for a little while we strolled over to the theater

The play was a sort of sentimental comedy by an English dramatist, a very good piece of work, it seemed to

"HE'S FALLEN IN LOVE WITH A GIRL IN THIS COMPANY"

me. I had heard of it, but had never seen it performed and was ignorant of the story which it presented Its leading idea was that a very good fellow upon his deathbed had put his motherless boy into the care of his best friend, who had accepted the trust with the highest resolve to execute it faithfully Three other men who had known and loved the father were colleagues in this great and difficult task of bringing the orphan through all perils which might beset him up to a noble and honorable manhood.

At the rise of the curtain the youth is supposed to have attained his twenty-first birthday and the story of his guardianship is disclosed to the audience in the first act together with the facts that the four protectors have led a gay life in their time and that the boy shows signs of a tendency to do likewise

Wally Ford played the part of the youngster and I thought that his work was really excellent Indeed, the whole company was surprisingly good, especially the young woman who (in real life not in the play) had ensnared Wally's affections Upon the stage she had the role of an innocent girl to whom the four guardians have betrothed the boy

"She's rather pretty Don't you think so?" said I to Ford

"Yes confound it," he replied, "she is—with her makeup on"

"There's no makeup that is equal to the self delusion of a young fellow in love" said I This girl never painted her own face as Wally's fancy paints it"

"It's a queer thing" said Crawford a moment later "that there's a splendid girl in this company Mrs Ford told me about her—good family, irreproachable character and all that. If Wally had fallen in love with her he'd have had the maternal blessing Mrs Ford has no prejudice against actresses She's a broad minded woman She knows that there are lots of nice girls on the stage and she believes in the work if a person really feels called to it—She put no obstacle in Wally's way when he expressed a wish to be an actor and I think she's right It is an honorable work Now, this play, for instance, is full of fine feeling and teaches a good lesson You'll see"

"Which is the nice girl—the one whom Mrs Ford likes?" I asked

"You won't see her till the third act," he said "She plays the adventuress"

"The deuce she does!" said I

"It is the plot of the piece that this adventuress is led to believe that the youth has a lot of money, and she therefore agrees to marry him—if he will settle it all upon her In reality he hasn't anything except what his guardians give him The adventuress is connected with the dramatic profession in a very lurid capacity, and she is spoken of as having seen "a great deal of the world"

The youth in the play is totally blind and deaf so far as the adventuress is concerned He won't hear a word said against her He asserts his own judgment with the explosive confidence appropriate to his years and will listen to no warning from his elder and wiser men who have reared him for his father's sake and would make any sacrifice to shield him from disaster

I beheld this plot unfolding before me with a slowly growing wonder at the amazing coincidence which was involved

"How long" I whispered to Crawford, "has Wally been playing this part?"

"All the season," he replied

"A hundred times, at least," said I "A hundred times he has held up this mimicry of folly to the eyes of the multitude, and, by the living jingo, he has never seen it himself"

"It does fit his own case to the life, doesn't it?" said Crawford

The curtain had fallen upon the second act, at the close of which the chief trustee of the boy decides to buy the adventuress outright for the small sum of £1 000 as the only way of rescuing the youthful prey from her clutches We could speak more at our ease between the acts

"How is it possible" said I, "that he can play this part over and over again and in his private life enact the very folly which he holds up to the public for a lesson?"

"I don't know," said Crawford "Doesn't look reasonable that a man could do that, upon my word it doesn't Love's a queer thing."

"Do you think that the fellow on the stage is supposed to be in love with the adventuress?"

"No," said he; "not really"

"Well neither is Wally in love with this girl He is suffering from a species of self hypnosis He is under the influence of a delusion We must wake him up"

"I'll have another try at him after the show," said Crawford. "The company doesn't leave town till tomorrow. He is coming to my room at the hotel. We'll both do our best. It's a serious matter, my friend. Wally may marry the girl any day"

We saw the remainder of the play and then walked back to the hotel. Half an hour later there was an unnecessarily loud rap at the door, and Wally Ford strode in, tall, handsome and strong I observed an excess of dignity, an effort to seem older than his years—in fact, very much the same demeanor that he uses on the stage when he says, "There comes a time in every man's life when his own judgment is of far more use to him than any other person's."

The reply in the play is, "Perhaps this is not one of those times"

But the infernal difficulty is to beat such a conviction into the head of an obstinate boy.

Wally started at the sight of me, and there was an added defiance in his manner when he returned my greeting. I hastened to assure him that my presence in the city was entirely accidental and he said, with a withering glance at Crawford, that he was glad to hear it.

There is really no use in setting down here what we said to him that night. It would have been just the same if we had read to him out of the city directory My statement that the very part he played should teach him prudence and respect for the judgment of his elders nearly procured me some broken bones Did I venture to compare Miss Hartington with the woman of the drama? Oh, dear, no, not for the world Still there was a faint basis for comparison in the fact that she was five years older than himself

"Miss Hartington is but twenty-six," said he. "She is two years older than I am"

I shook my head in blank despair The boy even believed her in regard to her age.

"And," he added "you would hardly urge the difference in our ages as a reason for my delay It is a reason for haste Life slips away We should not waste our youth It does not come again"

"We may differ, Wallace," said I, "upon a definition What constitutes a waste of one's youth?"

"A long engagement for one thing," he replied, "when two people are sure of each other"

Crawford argued with his customary gentleness and I lost my temper, but we produced no effect upon Wally When he had gone we held a council of war and decided to follow the play to the next town. We did so, and to the next after that. The business manager of the company began to recognize us and to nod pleasantly when we met upon a train. No one but Wally knew our errand We were suspected of being fascinated by some of the young ladies Altogether for two respectable middle aged married men, our position began to be embarrassing Moreover, we were doing no good Yet we were more and more strongly convinced that our young friend was on the brink of a great folly that he was infatuated with a wholly mercenary woman and that because of our old time regard for his mother we could not desert him while there remained the most shadowy ghost of a chance of saving him.

Wally was entirely unshaken in his allegiance to Miss Hartington He treated Crawford and me with frozen dignity It was utterly futile to reason with him, and when at last he informed us that his wedding would take place within a fortnight we decided that the battle was lost Nevertheless we did not quit the field, and as the company played an engagement of three consecutive nights in one city we were spared the miseries of travel

We took a double suit in a rascally little hotel in order to be near Wally, who was economizing for the wedding, and on the last of the three nights we were sitting in the parlor waiting for the boy, who had promised to see us after the performance. He came promptly, and, with the magnanimity of a victor, he greeted us less fully than usual Indeed we were fairly launched upon a really amicable conversation when a hasty rap at the door interrupted us

Crawford answered, and I saw him retreat from the door after he had opened it, as if there had been a ghost outside

"I beg your pardon" said a voice which I instantly recognized as Miss Hartington's "Is Mr Ford here?"

Crawford did not reply in words but he made a series of grotesquely wooden gestures which the lady rightly interpreted as an invitation to come in So in she came, and her looks amazed me I had seen her several times off the stage, and always the sight of her had touched my heart The world had not used her well, and she showed it. She had seemed to me a beaten woman, weary, disappointed and oppressed by a deep sense of injustice, yet withal sustained by some interior strength which I had taken to be sheer pugnacity.

Now she was transformed She held her head high; her eyes shone, there was the magic of renewed youth in her face.

"Wally," she cried, "read that!"

And she gave him a telegram, so long that it filled two sheets. The boy got about half way through it, and then he seized her hand exclaiming

"Splendid! Splendid! This is the chance of a lifetime. I'm so mighty, mighty glad for you"

She looked at him intently, lovingly—yes, by all that's odd, the woman loved him

"It's the chance of a lifetime for both of us," she said, paying no more attention to Crawford and me than if we had been two dummies "Wally, this offer—miraculous as if the sky should rain roses"—

"Or dollars," said he

"This part that is offered me," she continued, "is all that I ask If I cannot make my way with this I am content to fail But I was not content to live this life of mine and have nothing, absolutely nothing, no smallest desire granted, no single gleam of good fortune between my cradle and my grave Wally, I was not strong enough to do it I was not strong enough to live a life all loss and still do right But now, now! Now I can do it I can say to you what I should have said long ago, that—that you must not think of me any more"

She had been at a high pitch of courage up to that last sentence but she could not quite carry it on to the end I thought that she didn't mean what she said, but the boy knew her better, and suddenly his face grew startlingly white.

"Do you mean," he cried, "that you will break with me?"

"Yes, yes," she answered, and she waved her hand toward Crawford and me "Ask them They know. They'll tell you—they've been telling you Love some one who has not lived so much, who has illusions and the hopes of girlhood I lost them long ago, but I have ambition I love my work You shall see."

And in the midst of this outburst she vanished from the room.

Wally's face, which had been so pale, now flamed with rage.

"You you"' he shouted, striking up to us "You have done this. You have bought her. You have wrecked my life."

I think he was upon the point of striking Crawford, but instead he turned upon his heel and left us.

Crawford sank into a chair and slid lower and lower in it till I thought he would slide off upon the floor.

"The boy is crazy," said I "This is undoubtedly genuine The girl has got a fine engagement and her good luck has given her the strength to do right, just as she said But to accuse us of getting this engagement for her"—

Crawford interrupted us by tapping upon his own breast

"I did it," said he "She doesn't know it, but I did I telegraphed to a fellow in New York and used money and all that. By George, she has got a chance! I know, for I paid for it. And somehow I'm ashamed It's like some blasted conspiracy and yet it's for the good of both of them."

"But how did you know she'd give him up?"

"You don't understand women," said he. "You never did She loved him"

An Anecdote of Pope.

There is an old anecdote of Alexander Pope concerning one of the old watermen who was employed for many years in rowing Pope on the Thames. Pope was in the habit of having his sedan chair lifted into the punt. If the weather was fine, he let down the glasses, if cold, he pulled them up. He would sometimes say to the waterman:

"John, I am going to repeat some verses. Take care and remember them the next time I go out."

When that time came, Pope would say:

"John, where are the verses I told you of?"

"I have forgotten them, sir."

"John, you are a blockhead. I must write them down for you."

John says that no one thought of saying, when speaking of him, "Mr. Pope," but that he was always called "Mr. Alexander."

Ill Advised Project.

Johnson—I's thinkin' ob ma'ayin' dat youngest Thompson gal. Jackson—Don't do it, niggah. Don't do it. Dat gal cannot keep a job more'n two weeks Don't do it—Albany Journal.

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The Way a Woman and Her Two Children Were Saved From the Hurricane of Flame and Panic by a Stranger Who Was Intoxicated.

All great conflagrations that are attended with loss of life have, as a rule, their serio comic as well as their tragic incidents. Many peculiar escapes have been recorded, but the following story of how one woman and her two children were saved from death in the awful horror of the Iroquois theater in Chicago, where so many hundreds perished in the hurricane of flame and panic, as told by Miss Elizabeth A. Reed in the Chicago Record-Herald shortly after the fearful tragedy, is unique in many ways.

Mrs. Henry Stirling, with her two children, sat in the fateful Iroquois theater on that dreadful afternoon. Little Bob was next to the aisle, then the mother, and Dorothy sat on the other side. Beyond the six-year-old girl there was a vacant seat, but little heed was given to it as the spectacular drama went on and the wondering little folks looked open eyed upon the scenes before them

At last an uncertain step came down the aisle and a well dressed man lurched into the vacant seat. The curtain was up, but he was an old theater goer, and as the extravaganza was not entirely new to him he turned to the child. Her confiding blue eyes answered his appeal for friendship; there was wonder in the expressive little face, but no fear, even when he ventured to lay a caressing hand upon the golden curls.

Mrs. Stirling shrank from his contaminating touch upon Dorothy's head. He saw or felt her loathing and said brokenly, "Don't you be 'fraid—ish all right—all right—sweetish li'l girl ever I shaw—sweetish li'l girl ever I shaw."

The gay drama went on, the crowd cheered, the children clapped their hands, and their merry laughter mingled with the applause, but the stranger still kept his bleared eyes upon the lovely child. Every few minutes his hand would stray lovingly over the sunny head and some expression of endearment would fall from his uncertain lips. At last Mrs Stirling called the attention of an usher to the prolonged annoyance, and a remonstrance was made, but the answer came, "You go way—ish all right—all right—sweetish li'l girl ever I shaw—sweetish li'l girl ever I shaw"

Again the big hand touched the golden hair, and this time it strayed downward and took the little hand in loving clasp. The child looked fearlessly into his face and smiled

The mother grew more and more nervous. Again an usher was called and a complaint made The slender young man looked at the big fellow and concluded that prudence was the "better part of valor," so he went to consult with another about effective methods of getting the intruder out of the house.

The stranger looked at the stage again, this time he saw a tiny flame rapidly spreading to the scenery. Rising instantly, he took little Dorothy in his arms. Stepping beyond the mother and unheeding her frightened remonstrance, he swung the child upon one shoulder and with the other hand caught up little Bob; then with both of them pressed closely in his strong arms he walked out of the house The doubly frightened mother involuntarily followed him.

This precious instant was the moment of salvation. Another minute—another half minute—and it would have been too late. They had nearly reached the entrance when a cry of horror rang through the house, followed by screams of terror and shrieks of pain.

Without further volition of their own they were swept into the street. Wholly dazed by the awful shock Mrs. Stirling pleaded, "Put them down—put them down now"

"No, thash all right. Where do you want to go?"

"Right up this way to the Ashland block," she answered. Then the strange party pushed on through the crowd which was already rushing with helping hands to the scene of the disaster.

Lurching from one side of the walk to the other and apparently in constant danger of falling, he still carried his precious burden safely. Once within the protecting doors of the great Ashland block the elevator carried them to one of the higher floors, where Mrs. Stirling rushed into her husband's office crying, "Oh, Henry, the theater is burning, and this man has brought the children out!"

Although not half comprehending the horror, the father put his hand in his pocket and drew out a twenty dollar bill, which he offered with profuse thanks. But he and his money were alike ignored. With a majestic sweep of the hand the drunken hero answered, "Go way—I don't want your money—go way—thash all right—thash the sweetish li'l girl ever I shaw—sweetish li'l girl ever I shaw," and then he staggered out of the office

A Cautious Youth.

"Bobby, your father wants to see you"

The boy looked dubious.

"Do I want to see him?" he asked.

"How should I know?"

"You ought to be able to tell by the look in his eye."—Chicago Post.

The Snow Leopard.

In the highlands of central Asia lives the snow leopard, which never descends below the snow line of the mountains. Its color is a gray, inclining to buff. A few large dark spots show about the lower parts and a number of smaller ones congregate about the head and the neck The back and the sides are marked with faded looking brown rings or rosettes. The comparatively enormous tail of the animal is fully as long as its body.

The Despised Left Hand.

The despised left hand makes good its claims in many cases to be the defter of the two. The fingers that touch and adjust with such nicety the strings of the violin are surely as cunning as those that move the bow. The hand that guides the reins and steers with exactness the horse through the crowded streets is quite as cunning as, one might say much more than, the hand that wields the whip. But great is fashion; unanswerable is theory.

It would appear that as life becomes more and more complex we are becoming more and more specialized, and the difference between our limits is encouraged rather than hindered by every screw made in Birmingham and every slap administered to the offending fingers that would dare to shake hands incorrectly.—Chambers' Journal.

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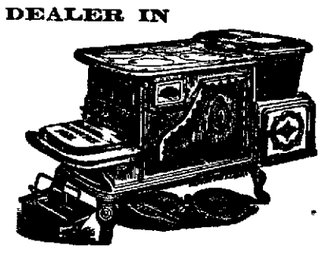

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Sunday Trains—*2 44, 7.00, *8.11, 8.55, *10 29, *11 53 A. M. 12 54, 4 24, 5 36, *7.23, 8.00, *8 28, 9 19 *11 22 P. M.

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Sunday Trains — 7.30, 8.31, 8.38, 9 06 A. M, 12.00, noon 1 52, *5.28, 6 00, *6 26, *6.35, 8.18, *10 12, P.M. 12 02 midnight.

Leave Bristol for Trenton, week days, 1 05, 3 24 6 57, *7 38, 8 29, *8 43, 9 16, 9 41, 11 39 A M. 12 47, 2 14, 3 26, *4.07, *5.34, 6 13, *6 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10.11 and *10 52 P. M. 12.08 night

Sunday Trains — 1 05, 3 24, *9 00, 9.22 10 04 A. M. 2.49, *5.57, *7 03, *7.14 and *10 52 P M.

Leave Trenton for Bristol, week days—*2 24, 6.50, 7 20, *7 52, *9 05, 9 33, *10.13, 11 55 A. M, *12.59, 2 45, 3 52, 5 25, *6.53, 7 47, 9 01, 11 08 P M.

Sunday Trains—*2 24,7 55,*9 10, *10 13, *11,40 A M 12 30, 4 00, 5 19, 7 08, *8 12, 9 01, 11 08 P M

Leave Bristol for New York—1 05, 3 24, 6 57 *7 38, 9 16, 11 39 A M, *12 14, *5 34 6 41 *10 52 P M

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Leave Burlington—6 50, *8 30 *1 30 *10 23, 11 05 11 30 a m, *1 00, *2 00, *3 00, *4 00, *5 00, 5 40 6 40, 7 30 p m

Saturdays—6 50, *8 30, *9 30 *10 23, 11 00, 11 30 a m, *1 00, *2 00, *2 40, *3 20, *4 00, *4 50 5 40, *6 40, 7 30 p m

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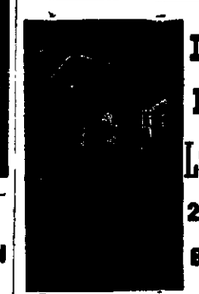

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